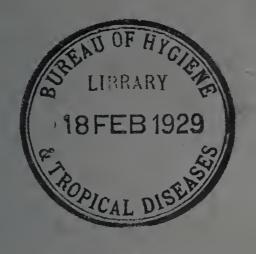


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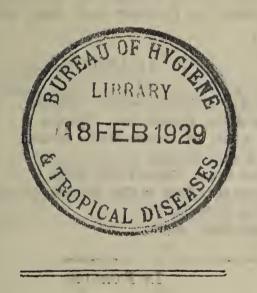


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FOR THE YEAR 1927.

Extracts from the Proceedings of the Government of Burma, Public Health Department,—No. 141S28, dated the 15th December 1928.

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The Report on the Public Health Administration of Burma for the year 1927.

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By order.

W. H. PAYTON,

Secretary to the Government of Burma, Education Department.

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[Sections I to IV are, as usual, omitted in compliance with the instructions contained in Government of India, Home Department, letter No. 9 (Sanitary)- 60, dated the 4th September 1878. Section VII is separately reported upon and Section VIII is not controlled by this Department.]

SECTION V.

GENERAL POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

- 1. Area and Population.—The total area under regular registration was 115,060 square miles and the population for which vital statistics have been collected was, according to the 1921 census, 1,247,220 for urban areas and 9,575,398 for rural areas, making a total of 10,822,618 for the Province. The returns of certain districts in which a primitive system of registration was introduced in 1922, comprising a total population of 2,337,446 (1921 census), have not been found sufficiently accurate to be included in the main annual statements. These have been shown in Statement II (a).
- 2. Immigrants and Emigrants.—The total number of immigrants by sea was 428,343 and of emigrants 361,291. These figures were 19,879 and 18,694 respectively in excess of the returns for 1926. Thus the net addition to the population during the year was 67,052 as against 65,867 in 1926. The great majority (386,992) of immigrants entered the Province through Rangoon. Out of the 311,895 who left the port, 280,739 were bound for Indian Ports. At Moulmein immigrants numbered 793, but there were no emigrants. At Akyab and Mergui emigrants were in excess of immigrants while in Tavoy and Kyaukpyu it was the other way about. The return for Bassein was, as usual, blank.

3. Rainfall.—The 1927 mean rainfall as recorded at the 17 observatories was 104 inches against 112 in 1926 and 106 in 1925. A decrease in rainfall was recorded at nine observatories as compared with 1926 but an increase was shown at the following:—

Moulmein (+33), Bhamo (+14), Rangoon and Mandalay (+10) each, Toungoo (+5), Tavoy and Myitkyina (+6) each. At Maymyo exactly the same amount of rain was recorded as last year. The greatest rainfall (212 inches) was recorded at Tavoy and the lowest (28 inches) at Mônywa. The maximum rainfall occurred in July.

- 4. Cost of Food Staples.—The average price of a basket of rice weighing 75 lb. was Rs. 5-6-0, or four annas per basket less than in 1926. The highest average price was Rs. 6-11-0 in Kyaukpyu District as against Rs. 6-12-0 in the same district in 1926 and the lowest price was Rs. 4-5-0 in Yamèthin District. A decrease in price was reported from all districts, except Sandoway, Tharrawaddy, Toungoo and Lower Chindwin. The highest average price for any month was Rs. 5-8-0 in June. The provincial death rate was slightly lower than that of the previous year, but there does not appear to be any connection between that fact and cheaper rice.
- 5. Statistics within Railway Limits.—In a railway population of 6,903 living outside municipal and notified areas, 185 births and 53 deaths were registered, the rates being 26'80 and 7'68 respectively, as against 19'96 and 11'56, the corresponding rates in the previous year. The highest and the lowest birth rates were recorded among the Railway populations in Mandalay (106'73) and Prome Districts (3'39), respectively. The highest mortality was recorded in Kyauksè District (18'43). No deaths were recorded in Pegu, Tharrawaddy, or Myingyan.
- 6. Inspection of Birth and Death Registers.—Registration of vital statistics was in force in 35,076 villages and towns, and the records of 11,192 were inspected by District Health Officers and Vaccination as compared with 10,496 in 1926. The number of entries verified amounted to 350,187 as against 311,162 last year. District Staffs visited 6,817 villages and towns and verified 90,012 entries, as against 80,805 in the previous year. The districts in which verification on a large scale was performed were: -Hanthawaddy (20,461), Shwebo (19,141), Lower Chindwin (18,498), Henzada (17,691), Amherst (15,150), In Bassein, Myingyan (15,080), and Akyab (15,034). Prome, Minbu, Pakôkku, Magwe and Pegu Districts and in Mandalav Town verified entries ranged between 10,000 and 15,000. No verification was carried out in Ma-ubin District, while only a small number of entries were verified in Kyaukpyu (913), Yamèthin (1,317), Tavov (1,525), Toungoo (2,129), Meiktila (2,527) and Thatôn (3,115) Districts. From the diaries of the District Health Officers and

Epidemic Sub-Assistant Surgeons of Thatôn, Meiktila and Toungoo Districts, it appears that more verification work was actually done than is recorded in the Annual Statements; but the low birth rate of these districts and of Minbu and Kyaukpyu is probably due, to some extent, to lack of supervision of registration work.

It is remarkable that not a single omission was detected among more than 10,000 entries verified in Pegu, Amherst, Myingyan and Shwebo Districts. In certain districts, viz. Akyab, Bassein, Henzada, Magwe and Minbu, where it is reported much verification was done, very few omissions were detected. On the other hand, in Meiktila and Yamèthin Districts, among 2,527 and 1,317 entries verified, 212 and 351 omissions respectively were dicovered by Inspecting Officers. The presumption is that in districts where inspection on a large scale was carried out, the work must have been done in a very superficial manner.

There were 2,004 prosecutions of parents or guardians for neglecting to report births and deaths. Fines ranging from annas 4 to Rs. 12 were imposed in 1,912 cases, 60 were warned, 10 compounded and 22 were pending disposal at the end of the year. Of the 56 headmen prosecuted for neglect of registration duties, 2 were removed, 4 fined, 2 reprimanded, 1 censured, 44 warned and the cases against 3 were pending disposal at the close of the year.

7. Tally System and Registration in Backward Tracts.—This was the sixth year of the registration of births and deaths by tally sticks in certain backward tracts. Results are conflicting. Compared with last year a greater number of births and deaths were registered in the Chin Hills, while in the Pakôkku Hill Tracts the returns were not so good. The system of registration devised by Mr. Nepean-previously in force in the Hill District of Arakan and Southern Shan States onlywas introduced in the Pakôkku Hill Tracts in 1926. The birth and death rates recorded were 13.77 and 18.06 per mille against 2+.50 and 23'60 last year respectively. The birth rate returned from Kyi villagetract which is one of the most populous in the area was only 5.15 per mille. It is evident that as yet only a small proportion of events is recorded and no doubt the change of system led to some disorganisa-The District Health Officer, Paletwa, animadverts on the apathy of returning officers and believes that the scheme has not been fully explained to the people.

The returns from the Salween tracts are not so good as last year, but bad communications and the illiteracy of both registrars and people preclude the possibility of correct registration of vital statistics for many years to come.

Statistics collected by this system have been tabulated in Statement II (b).

8. Birth and Death Rates in several Provinces of India.—The birth and death rates of Burma were lower than those of any of the other Provinces, while the infantile mortality figure (198'06) was the second highest, being exceeded only by the Central Provinces (221'60). The highest birth and death rates (45'58) and (31'31) were recorded in the Central Provinces, and the lowest infant mortality rate (133'39) in Bihar and Orissa.

Statements I & II.

9. Provincial Birth and Death Rates.—The provincial birth rate was 25'08 as against 27'91, the mean of the preceding five years. Recorded births numbered 271,402, or 27,152 less than in 1926. Lower figures were returned from all districts except Kyaukpyu, Myaungmya and Lower Chindwin and from most towns. The ratio of male to every 100 female births was 105 against 104 in 1926.

The year was on the whole a better one than last, as actually 14,916 fewer deaths were recorded; the Provincial death rate being 19.55 as against 20.92 in 1926 and 20.86, the quinquennial mean. Fewer deaths were recorded under all heads except plague and fever.

Births exceeded deaths by 59,859, giving a natural increase in the population of 5 per mille. This excess was recorded in practically every district and particularly in Tavoy, Sagaing, Lower Chindwin, Amherst, Pakôkku, Mergui and Sandoway Districts, in all of which there was an excess of over 10 per mille.

Statement VI-A.

10. Rural Birth Rate.—The birth rate in rural areas was 24'70 against 27'43 in 1926 and 28'02 the mean of the previous five years. More than half the districts, most of them in Lower Burma, returned birth rates below the quinquennial average.

The recorded birth rate has been steadily decreasing in the following districts for some years:—

Birth Rate.

	1	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
Akyab Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Ma-ubin Pyapôn Toungoo Thatôn Magwe Meiktila	•••	32·53 33·77 57·83 51·10 29·73 27·10 34·10 32·97 35·83 32·19	28·09 29·43 29·30 29·55 27·46 20·93 28·56 26·25 29·33 26·90	28:43 19:25 31:51 27:81 26:92 18:85 28:66 24::2 30:01 29:17	25·14 25·58 31·31 30·13 31·06 22·08 23·16 27·97 25·84 24·88	27:17 26:69 28:23 32:39 31:20 19:06 23:06 22:62 24:98 21:01	29.62 22.29 24.58 21.64 25.58 18.13 16.16 14.88 24.57 24.74	26.03 23.96 23.93 222 24.27 17.84 18.70 21.13 25.35 24.88	22.99 21.09 22.00 21.12 20.96 17.21 16.24 14.64 20.01 21.60
Myingyan Yearly average (Pro-Rural Area)	***	34.18	30.34	30.17	29.55	23:31	20.82	21.66	21.08

The main reason for the decline in all these districts is most probably incomplete registration. The abolition of Police Patrols in 1923, which had been the regular agency for the collection of vital statistics for many years, disorganised the work; but it seems probable that the introduction of a bi-foil form in 1926, instead of the original tri-foil record, has further increased the general inaccuracy and incompleteness. In the first place, it takes a long time for anything new to be understood Then there is more chance of counterfoils being lost by the public. than formerly. They used to be collected by the Police regularly once a month. Now they have to be sent at intervals to the Police Station by the headman himself, or taken there by him when he next visits headquarters. He has to bear any expense incurred. There are likely to be delays which are certain to lead to loss. Further, the headman may forget or neglect to enter incidents in the register. Formerly he had to make an entry in three foils in one book. Now he has to make an entry in two foils and a third in a separate register. is apt to forget or omit the latter, and there are no means by which an Inspecting Officer can check the work. As there is no one visiting villages regularly and calling for records, the matter of registration has lost its importance and there is not the same urge to make an immediate entry, with the result that events are recorded days or weeks in arrears with a corresponding inaccuracy. The original reasons for inaccuracy and incompleteness also still hold good, ignorance and illiteracy of headmen, the fact that several villages may be grouped under one headman, failure to maintain a supply of the necessary forms and so on. Many township officers do not seem to know the rules and take little or no interest in the work. The compilation of records is usually placed in the hands of a junior clerk, probably a probationer, and his work is not properly supervised. It not infrequently happens that an inadequate stock of registers is kept, so that the supply runs short, and there may be none with headmen for weeks on end. Although it is more than two years since the orders with regard to the introduction of the modified system were issued, indents for the old form of record are still received from time to time and there is therefore bound to be confusion.

Apart from the question of incompleteness of the records, it is possible that the Province is affected by the universal tendency of rural populations to drift towards towns, attracted by the amenities of the modern urban life, the greater security and the wider opportunities of earning a livelihood.

High birth rates were returned from the following districts:— Tavoy (40'00), Prome (35'97), Lower Chindwin (35'07), Pakôkku (35'06), Sandoway (34'82), Kyauksè (34'47), Shwebo (30'77). In Prome the highest birth rate has been recorded since 1917. The rate has been steadily rising since 1924. In Tavoy, Kyauksè and Shwebo Districts on

the other hand there has been a slight decrease compared with the respective ratios last year. The rate returned from Pakôkku District was the same as in 1926, which in turn was slightly higher than that of the previous two years, but these rates compared favourably with those recorded prior to 1924. The birth rate of Lower Chindwin shows a considerable rise over 1925 and 1926, which latter was the lowest recorded since 1910. The improvement is attributed to better registration and collection.

Very low rates have been returned from the following districts:— Thatôn (14'64), Toungoo (16'24), Pyapôn (17'21), Kyaukpyu (17'89), and Insein (1978). The birth rate of Thaton District has shown a tendency to decline since 1910, and has reached the lowest recorded. rate this year. The District Health Officer remarks that "there is nothing but defective registration to account for the big difference between 10,152 births recorded in 1924 and 6,571 births recorded in the year under review." The same cause obviously accounts for the low rates in Pyapôn, Toungoo, Insein and Bassein Districts. rate returned from Pyapôn was the lowest since 1912, while a big drop from 29'16 in 1926 to 21'78 has been recorded in Bassein District. In Henzada District there has also been an abrupt fall in the birth rates from 33'64 in 1926 to 23'18 in the year under review. present rate is the lowest recorded in the district since 1910. Deaths from epidemic disease were greater than in the previous year, but the death rate on the whole was less than in 1926. Defective registration is no doubt the main reason for the low birth rate, probably for both rates. From Myingyan District the lowest birth and death rates since 1910 have been returned with the exception of the year 1925. The Deputy Commissioner notes that bad seasons with consequent emigration were probably contributory causes.

Statement VI-B.

(Urban),—The Provincial urban birth rate was 27'98 against 28'75 in 1926 and 27'10, the quinquennial mean. Higher rates than in last year were returned from 26 towns, but rates lower than the urban average were returned from 39. The low birth rates of a number of towns, particularly of those in Lower Burma, are due to a disparity of the sexes resulting from a floating population of adventitious male labour. A rough estimate of the influence of this disparity can be made by estimating the birth rate on a fictitious population obtained by doubling the male or female population whichever is less. Corrected by this method the birth rates of the following towns are raised thus:—

Rangoon	(21.17) to 34.25.	Toungoo	(21.88) to 25.86.
Insein	(20'97) to 31'33.	Moulmein	(25°14) to 33°18.
Syriam	(20.01) to 44.03.	Bassein	(28'97) to 43'55.
Akyab	(15.48) to 31.88.	Pyapôn	(25'98) to 31'86.

	The progress of regis	stration in mur	icipal and notifie	d areas during
the	past six years may be	e estimated fro	m the following t	able:—

	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.
Provincial urban birth-rate	25.89	26.48	27·11	27:26	28 [.] 75	27.98
Number of towns with birth-	9	8	9	11	11	10
rate below 20 per mille. 20 and below 30 per mille	36	40	35	30	25	33
30 and below 40 per mille	16	14	20	22	30	23
40 and below 50 per mille	1	1	2	3	2	3
50 and over per mille	2	2	Nil	Nil	2	1

It will be observed that there has been a slow but steady improvement in the registration of vital statistics in towns until 1927 when there has been a slight falling off.

There is no doubt that registration has been very badly neglected in certain towns. Out of the 70 municipalities and notified areas in the Province only about half have adopted the Model Registration Bye-laws. A few possess bye-laws practically as good as the model, but in the majority they are altogether inadequate. Model bye-laws, however, are of little use unless the provisions are enforced, which is seldom the case even when they are adopted.

High birth rates were registered in the following towns:—Ye-u (55'07), Mandalay (49'25), Shwebo (46'58), Kawkareik (44'79), Maymyo (37'81), Taungdwingyi (37'74), Kyauksè (37'99), Mônywa (36'74), Myitngè (36'64), Yenangyaung (36'26) and Pegu (35'06). In the past four years the birth rates of Ye-u and Mandalay towns have been steadily rising, but during 1927 they were less than in the previous year. The great excess of births over deaths noticed in Mandalay in 1926 continued during the year under review, while the death rate was the second lowest on record. The highest birth rates since 1910 were returned from Shwebo, Kawkareik and Maymyo while in the remainder of the above towns, except Taungdwingyi, a considerable rise over the respective rates in 1926 was recorded.

Very low birth rates have been returned from Kamayut (10'02), Letpadan (12'62), Akyab (15'48), Gyobingauk (15'52), Paungdè (16'76), Thamaing (17'04). Allanmyo (17'73), Thingangyun (18'00), Danubyu (18'47) and Shwedaung (18'66). Kamayut, Thamaing and Thingangyun are now notified areas, but are still subject to the rules under the Burma Village Act by which the headmen are responsible for the registration of vital statistics. Draft bye-laws are under consideration, which when passed, will no doubt lead to an improvement. In these areas there is a preponderance of men over women which partly accounts for the very low rates.

The District Health Officer, Tharrawaddy, has attributed the low birth rate of Letpadan this year to a severe epidemic of cholera which attacked the town during the year, but the rate has been very low during the last five years although there was little or no epidemic disease. Undoubtedly defective registration was the chief cause, and it can only be assumed as not a single omission of birth or death registration had been detected that little or no scrutiny of the returns was made. In this respect Gyobingauk was on a par with Letpadan, as the lowest birth rate and highest death rate on record have been recorded. also suffered from severe epidemics of cholera and plague. The case of Shwedaung appears to be in a different category. In the opinion of the District Health Officer the decline of the silk industry resulting in a diminution of the able-bodied artisan class is a cause of the low birth rate, as well as faulty registration. From Paungdè the lowest recorded birth rate since 1910 was returned, and the death rate (36'95) was also high, though less than last year. The Deputy Commissioner remarks: "The only word for the state of Paungdè Town, its Municipal arrangements, its roads, its conservancy, and its drainage. . . . is disgusting . . . There was undoubtedly lack of supervision over registration on the part of headmen in connection with both births and deaths . . . I am surprised that only 15 omissions of birth registration were detected in so confined an area, which the vaccinator assisted by ward headmen ought to be able to cover fairly satisfactorily." A low birth rate has been returned from Akyab year after year. highest birth rate for any year since 1910 was only 17'81 per mille. Defective registration partly accounts for this; but the main reason undoubtedly is the preponderance of men over women; according to the 1921 census the latter numbered less than one-third of the former.

Defective registration is also the cause of the fall of the birth rate in the following towns: - Kyaukpyu, Myitkyina, Toungoo, Myinmu, Minhla, Kyangin, Moulmeingyun and Kyaikto. In Kyaukpyu there is neither a cemetery caretaker who usually acts as a check on death registration in towns in Burma, nor is there any agency for verifying the accuracy of headmen's registers; nor are ward-headmen remunerated for the work of registration as are registrars in towns where the model bye-laws have been adopted. The Myinmu Town Committee has not published any bye-laws for registration of vital statistics. low birth rate of Toungoo has been attributed in certain quarters to the increasing prevalence of malarial fever and venereal disease and a greater number of deaths amongst women of child-bearing age. It is true that 50 deaths from malaria were recorded in 1927 against 40 in 1926 and 37 in 1925, but the diagnosis of malaria must be accepted with reserve, as it is rarely verified by examination of the blood. The spleen rate among 1,141 children attending schools in Toungoo who were

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medically examined was only 1.57 per cent. It is therefore improbable that malaria has had any effect on the birth rate. The fact that the percentage of still births to total births was 4.5 does not indicate any unusual prevalence of venereal disease; and while it is true there has been an increase in the deaths of women in the age periods 20-40, the same is true of men, and in the absence of satisfactory evidence of other causes, the low birth rate of the town may be safely attributed to defective registration and to a small extent to the disparity of the sexes. The lowest birth rate since 1910 was also returned from Kyaikto, while the death rate and infantile mortality figures were high. The Municipal Committee took no action when an inspecting officer reported omissions in registration. A very low birth rate has again been recorded in Prone (21'18), again the lowest since 1910. At the same time the death rate is rising. The sanitary condition of the town has not improved. The Deputy Commissioner, Prome, states: "Its water supply and milk su ply are as bad as ever; main drains are beyond all description; epidemics of cholera, plague and small-pox are a matter of frequent occurrence. The general sanitary condition of Prome is such that it is a marvel why more serious epidemics do not occur." In Henz da there has been a slight decrease in the birth rate (31'25) but a big rise in the death rate (41'99) when compared to the previous year (35.26) The sanitary condition of this town as is bad as, if not worse than, Prome and has been strongly animadverted upon by the Deputy Commissioner.

In contrast to the unsatisfactory conditions in the above towns, it is pleasing to note that registration has definitely improve l in the following: -- Pyinmana, Mônywa, Maymyo, Kawkareik, Nat alin and Syriam.

11. Still-births.—There were 2,117 and 1,069 still-births in urban and rural areas giving a ratio of 6.07 and '45 per hundred live births respectively. In towns and districts in which 50 or more still-births were recorded the ratios were as follows:-

Towns.—Pakôkku (13.79); Henzada (10.01); Pegu (8.05); Bassein (7.71); Rangoon (7.00); Moulmein (6.55); Mandalay (4.25).

Districts.—Kyauksè (3.00); Minbu (1.30); Myingyan (1.13); Amherst (1'08); Mandalay (1'07); Meiktila ('96); Magwe ('91); Myaungmya ('73).

Maternal Deaths.—Three hundred and fifteen deaths were recorded Statemen from child-birth in towns giving a ratio of 9.03 per 1,000 registered births VI-B (a) as against 11'18 last year. The highest ratios were recorded in Sandoway (54.05), Letpadan (48.80), Magwe (41.42), Toungoo (37.83), Ma-ubin (35.52), Prome (30.80), and Pyapôn (30.15).

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12. Deaths.—The total registered deaths in the Province during the year were 211,543, of which 166,382 occurred in rural areas and the rest in towns. The provincial death rate was 19'55 as against 20'92 in 1926 and 20'86, the quinquennial mean. The proportion of male deaths to every hundred female was 114 as against 111 in the previous The highest death rates, 30'25 per mille for males and 36'68. for females, were registered in Mandalay District and Rangoon respectively, as against 21'51 and 20'18, the respective mean provincial ratios. The female death rate exceeded the male in Rangoon and also slightly so in Hanthawaddy and Thatôn Districts. About 38 per cent. of total deaths occurred among children below 5 years of age and 23 per cent. in persons over 50; while the remaining 39 per cent. occurred between these ages. In other words, 60 per cent. of the total deaths occurred below 5 years and over 50 which age periods constitute only 25 per cent. of the total population. Except for a lull in August, mortality gradually increased from July to December, when the highest rate was recorded; the lowest rates were in February and May.

The urban death rate was more than double the rural. This is mainly attributable to better death registration in urban areas where bye-laws as to cemeteries tend to enforce registration. If the heading 'all other causes' which serves as a general dumping place is ignored it may be noted that in rural areas the death rate from 'fever' is many times greater than the rate under any other head, but in urban areas the death rate from respiratory diseases is the highest while that from 'fever' is considerably less. In rural areas there are practically only two causes of mortality, 'fever' and 'all other causes.' Compared with last year, there was a decline in mortality in all districts except Kyaukpyu, Sandoway, Myaungmya, Thayetmyo, Minbu, Yamèthin and Lower Chindwin.

Statement VI-A.

(Rural).—The provincial rural death rate was 17:38 against 18:78 in 1926 and 18:85, the quinquennial mean. Lower death rates than last year were returned from all districts with the exception of six, and in all of them the rate was lower than the quinquennial mean. The highest death rate for a rural area was returned from Kyauksè (27:39), but the figure is less than the respective ratios for 1926 and the quinquennial mean, by 6:94 and 5:38 per mille. Minbu came next with a rate of 27:18 per mille, followed by Prome (25:46), Sandoway (23:72), Shwebo (21:75), Yamèthin (20:51) and Lower Chindwin (20:37). With the exception of the last two districts high death rates were recorded in all of these last year also. The death rates of Minbu District both for 1926 and 1927 were very high compared with 1925 because cholera was prevalent in both years A slightly lower rate than last year was returned from Prome District but a very much higher rate than the quinquennial mean (21:03). The district suffered from

severe epidemics of cholera and small-pox in 1926, and cholera in the year under review.

The lowest rate (11.73) for rural areas was returned from Pyapôn District. Thatôn came next with (11.91), Myingyan with (12.48), Amherst (12.72), Hanthawaddy (13.09), Kyaukpyu (13.70), Myaungmya (14.44) and Magwe (14.77). With the exception of Amherst low birth rates have been recorded in these districts for the past two years. A low birth rate combined with a low death rate is strongly suggestive of bad registration.

A considerable reduction in the death rates of Insein, Bassein, Henzada and Ma-ubin rural areas is noticeable compared with the respective figures for last year.

13. Deaths (Urban),—The death rate in urban areas was 36'21 in 1927 as against 37'41 in the previous year and 36'52, the quinquennial mean. Out of 70 towns in the Province 40 had death rates below their previous year's figures. There was a decrease in the number of deaths under all heads except small-pox, plague, fevers and 'injuries.'

The highest urban death rate (71.36) was registered in Taungdwingyi, which was followed closely by Gyobingauk (68'75), Nyaunglebin (58'16), Magwe (57.68), Thayetmyo (56.00), Minhla (53.02) and Pyapôn (50.40). These rates are very much higher than the respective quinquennial averages for these towns. With the exception of Nyaunglebin, Magwe, and Pyapôn, the high death rates are attributable to a greater number of deaths from epidemic disease. The death rate of Nyaunglebin has been increasing since 1923 independently of epidemic causes. The rate for 1927 was the highest hitherto recorded and exceeded the quinquennial mean by 16'19 per mille. The highest ratios of deaths were registered under 'fever' and 'all other causes.' The infant mortality rate (537 57) is also very high and has been rising since 1923. In Magwe more than half the deaths were recorded under 'all other causes,' and another quarter was due to cholera and plague. The birth rate (21.61) was the lowest and the infant mortality rate (426.04) the highest recorded for the town with the exception of the year 1918. In the case of Pyapôn there were fewer deaths under epidemic disease when compared to last year; but the quinquennial mean was exceeded by 11.54 per mille. The town is reported to be in a very insanitary state; the water supply is insufficient and there is no system of conservancy. It is not surprising that epidemics of cholera and

The death rate of Prome (49'45) was slightly higher than last year and was 2'59 per mille above the quinquennial mean. For the past five years the death rate has been rising and the birth rate declining. Practically one-fifth of the deaths were due to plague. Many deaths occur yearly from plague in this town. There were fewer deaths from cholera than last year and only one from small-pox.

plague occur annually.

Statement VI-B.

The death rate of Letpadan (47.87) was in excess of the rates for the previous year and the quinquennial mean by 16.76 and 19.85 per mille respectively. It suffered from severe epidemics of cholera and plague which together accounted for more than one-third of the total deaths. Similarly the high death rates of Minbu (49'97) and Thônzè (46'41) were due to epidemics of cholera and plague from which the former had been practically free since 1920. The death rate of Kyaikto (45'20) is 6'84 per mille in excess of the rate for 1926; it has been rising since 1924. The birth rate was also the lowest on record. Plague breaks out yearly in this town The death rate of Akyab rose from (29.62) in 1926 to (33'42) during the year, which is 10'59 per mille in excess of the mean for the past five years. Compared with the previous year there were fewer deaths under epidemic disease but a greater number under 'all other causes' and 'fever,' the deaths under these two heads being 19'85 and 6'73 per mille as against 14'19 and 5'85 per mille respectively in the previous year. There was a severe attack of plague in Maymyo Town which had been almost free from epidemic disease for the past two years and the death rate rose from 24.76 in 1926 to Similarly the death rate in Minhla rose from (41'53) to (53'02). Here plague and fever were responsible for about half of the total deaths.

A considerable fall in the death rates of the following towns has been recorded as compared with last year:—Yenangyaung (39'94), Moulmeingyun (38'92), Paungdè (36'95), Pyawbwe (47'41), Nattalin (34'71), Pegu (42'46), Myaungmya (41'08, Pyinmana (41'85), Pyu (24'57), Syriam (22'44) and Thôngwa (25'39). In all these towns except Thôngwa and Pyu there was a decrease in the mortality from epidemic disease but in Thôngwa there was no epidemic disease either this year or in 1926. Similarly in Pyu the big drop in both birth and death rates has not been satisfactorily explained. In both towns mortality under all heads was low. In both cases the statistics are strongly suggestive of wholesale neglect of registration although the District Health Officer records that in the former town the year was, as a matter of fact, an exceptionally healthy one.

The lowest urban death rate for the year was returned from Kamayut (17'43). The low figure is probably due to defective registration. Low death rates were also recorded in Kyaukpyu (19'05) and Danubyu (17'97). In the case of Kyaukpyu the figure is slightly lower than last year. The District Health Officer believes that the locality is really more healthy than formerly. The low death rate of Danubyu was due to the absence of any serious epidemic during the year. Plague has practically disappeared from the town. There has been only one death in the last three years and that was imported, as against an average of 40 deaths a year between 1920 and 1924.

14. Infant Mortality. — During 1927, 53,754 infants under one year of age died (29,059 male and 24,695 female), giving a ratio of 198'06 per 1,000 registered births as against 201'40 in 1926 and 188'99 in 1925. One hundred and eighteen male infants died to every hundred female The proportion of infant deaths to total deaths in the Province was approximately 25 per cent. Nearly 51 per cent. of infant deaths occurred from the second to the sixth month, 28 per cent. in the first month and 21 per cent. between the 6th and 12th month.

(a) Rural.—The provincial rural infant mortality rate for the year was 184'34 as against 186'50 in 1926 and 175'53 in 1925. Compared with the previous year the registered infantile mortality rate rose in 15 districts (mainly in Lower Burma) while it fell in an equal number of districts (mostly in Upper Burma). The following districts returned relatively high infant mortality figures:—Sandoway (251'19), Pegu (250'79), Thayetmyo (231'67), Henzada (231'37), Tharrawaddy (226'62), Kyauksè (22+'9+), Shwebo (222'98) and Yamèthin (220'09). While Pegu, Henzada, Yamèthin and Thayetmyo showed a considerable rise, Kyauksè and Shwebo Districts showed a marked decrease when compared to the previous year's figures. There was a decided fall in the ratio for Kyauksé District which for the last three years has had the unenviable record of having the highest infantile mortality in the Province. ratio for the year was the lowest on record for the district since 1910, but in the present unsatisfactory state of registration in rural areas an abrupt rise or abrupt fall in infantile mortality looks suspicious, especially when as in the case of Pegu, Henzada and Tharrawaddy Districts absurdly low birth rates are returned.

Very low infantile mortality figures have been registered in the following districts:—Amherst (87'46), Pyapôn (89'03), Mergui (100'23), Tavoy (105'18), Myingyan (125'40). Excepting Myingyan all these districts have returned low figures for the past two years. The abrupt fall in the figure for Pyapôn District from (136'38) in 1926 to (89'03) in 1927 is striking, but there is good reason to believe that little reliance can be placed upon the returns. It has been noted elsewhere that the birth and death rates this year are the lowest on record for this district.

In Myingyan District the infantile mortality figure as compared with that for 1926 has fallen by 61'54. This is the biggest drop recorded in any district, and again the figure must be regarded with suspicion. The death rate was also the lowest on record.

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(b) (Urban).—The urban infantile mortality figure for the year was 291'01, or 19'57 less than in 1926 and 4'25 less than the five years' mean. A decrease in the figure was recorded in 45 out of the 70 Municipalities in the Province. Ratios below 200 were returned from 16 towns in Lower Burma but from none in Upper Burma. In nearly

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all towns with populations of 10,000 or more the ratio was over 200 per mille: the exceptions were Syriam, Insein, Thatôn, Moulmein, Tavoy and Toungoo. The proportion of infant deaths to total mortality in towns was approximately 22 per cent, and the proportion of male infant deaths to every 100 female was 124.

As in 1926, the highest urban infantile mortality ratio (638'66) was registered in Gyobingauk. The general death rate of this town (68'75) was also the highest recorded for towns in 1927. The town suffered from severe epidemics of cholera and plague, but that does not account for the high infantile mortality, as infant deaths formed only about 14 per cent. of the total. The cause was undoubtedly very defective registration of births. As has been noted elsewhere the birth rate of the town was very low, in fact the lowest on record.

Taungdwingyi which ranks next among high infant mortality ratios (563'03) suffered from a severe epidemic of small-pox, and out of the 450 deaths recorded 134 were among infants. Nyaunglebin comes next with a ratio of 537'57, followed by Akyab (515'90), Thayetmyo (500'00), Pakôkku (483'45), Magwe (426'04), Myinmu (422'68), Letpadan (408'00), Prome (405'80) and Kawkareik (403'39). With the exception of Myinmu relatively high figures were recorded in all these towns last year also, and in all except Pakôkku and Kawkareik very low birth rates were recorded. There can be little doubt but that many births were not registered and the infant mortality figure is therefore misleading in all cases. The figure for Akyab town has risen from 383'80 in 1926 to 515'90 in 1927. This is no doubt partly due to defective registration of births but an endeavour is being made to form an Infant Welfare Society with a view to combating local conditions inimical to infant life. There appears to have been a decided improvement in birth and death registration in Thayetmyo compared to previous years, particularly in the latter. This is partly due to the Municipal Committee having taken steps to prevent the issue of burial passes unless a death is verified by the Sub-Assistant Surgeon of the local hospital. In Nyaunglebin, both death and infantile mortality rates have been rising in consonance since 1923, while the birth rate has been declining since 1925. The figures for Magwe during the last two years have shown the same tendency. The relatively high death rate in this town was due to epidemics of cholera and plague, but the actual number of infant deaths was less than in 1925 when epidemic disease was practically absent. The high infantile mortality figure again must be attributed to defective birth registration. In Pakôkku on the other hand it would appear that there probably has been a rise in the death rate among infants. birth rate was, it is true, lower than in 1926 but the infantile mortality figure has been rising since 1923. The proportion of still-births and normal births was also very high this year. There is no maternity ward in connection with the local hospital and an Infant Welfare Society

has not so far been started. Although the infantile mortality ratio in Kawkareik was high, it was a decided improvement on that for 1926 while there has been appreciable increase in the birth rate and a decline in the death rate. In Prome the figure was also less than that for last year.

Marked variations from the 1926 figures have been recorded in the following towns:—

Increase.—Kyangin (+96.86), Minhla (+95.63), Meiktila (+78.14), Shwedaung (+70.84), Allanmyo (+63.28) and Sandoway (+53.25).

Decrease.—Myaungmya (-196.96), Sagaing (-134.12), Moulmeingyun (-111.96), Pyawbwe (-103.03), Kyaukpyu (-95.95), Salin (-88.06), Kyauksè (-87.49), Shwebo, (-86.27), Nattalin (-83.61), Zigôn (-82.53), Myitnge (-78.53), Kyônpyaw (-72.15), Shwegyin (-61.48) and Thatôn (61.61).

15. Summary of the Work of Societies for the Promotion of Infant Welfare, Rangoon.—The Society's seven nurse-midwives attended 1,210 confinements as against 1,422 in 1926 and 1,452 in 1925. One thousand two hundred and twenty-two infants were born under the auspices of the Society. There were 39 cases of still-birth and 57 abortions. Of the infants 628 were Burmese, 197 Hindu, 159 Chinese, 85 Mohamedan, 25 Anglo-Indian and the remainder other classes. In the Society's four Shelters, 709 women, of whom more than 50 per cent. were Burman, were confined and 351 boys and 291 girls were born alive. There were 18 cases of still-birth and 51 abortions and miscarriages. Twenty-one premature infants died and two mothers, one of heart failure and the other of Bright's disease.

Moulmein.—The Society at Moulmein made steady progress during the year. A fifth midwife was added to the staff in October. The number of cases attended was 741 as against 590 in 1926 and 530 in 1925, representing about 48 per cent. of the total births in the town. The average number attended monthly by each midwife was 62 while the maximum number attended by any one midwife in one month was 25 and the minimum 9. The honorary medical officers gave valuable assistance in cases of difficult labour. The honorary lady visitors verified reports of midwives, watched the progress of the babies, and advised and helped mothers when necessary.

Magwe.—This Society has worked well since its formation in 1925. This year it extended its activities to rural areas. The second Baby Show organised by it took place during October at the time of a big pagoda festival. The establishment of a Child Welfare Clinic is being considered.

Maymyo. - The Society for the Promotion of Public Health at Maymyo with which the Infant Welfare Society is amalgamated is affiliated to the Burma Branch of the Indian Red Cross Society. The municipal midwife, whose services have been lent to the Society and under whose control she works, attended 159 labour cases. Of these 142 were normal births, 14 abortions and miscarriages and 3 still-births. About 40 honorary lady visitors representing all communities are on the rolls of the Society. They visit mothers with infants once a month during the first year, distribute pamphlets on the care of infants and give advice on feeding, clothing, bathing, etc., and on cleanliness of the home and surroundings. Food, clothing and medicine were also distributed; and when necessary, medical assistance through the Honorary Medical Officers of the Society was obtained. Twenty lectures on Public Health subjects illustrated by magic lantern slides were given during the year besides exhibitions of cinema films lent by this Department. The Society has resolved to establish a Maternity and Child Welfare Centre and is preparing a scheme for its institution.

Taunggyi.—The Society for the Promotion of the Welfarc of Mothers and Infants in the Shan States, whose headquarters are at Taunggyi, continued to work on the same lines as in previous years. Eight probationers qualified in midwifery during the year and ten new probationers were enrolled at the end of the year. Out of a total of 200 births in Taunggyi, 98 occurred in the Society's home as against 112 in 1926. Meetings were held weekly during the rains when mothers and probationers were taught sewing and knitting. Leaflets in several languages describing the advantages offered by the Home to mothers before and after confinement were widely distributed. The Society was well supported by the Federation, Sawbwas, the Town Committee and private subscriptions.

Thôngwa.—The Society at Thôngwa which was founded in 1916 has branches at Kayan and Kyauktan. The members visited expectant mothers, giving advice and practical assistance. Full advantage was taken of the maternity ward attached to the Hospital.

Mônywa.—No less than 5,306 mothers with infants attended the child welfare clinic—an average of about 442 per month. The Society's nurse-midwife attended 48 confinements. At the beginning of the year two trained midwives were employed, one for out-door work and the other to work in the clinic at headquarters, but in May one resigned and some difficulty was experienced in getting a trained substitute. For a short period a local untrained midwife was employed.

Ma-ubin.—This Society ceased to function in 1926 but a Baby Show was held in March this year and efforts are being made to resuscitate it.

Sandoway.—During the year, a result-system midwife was engaged by the Sandoway Municipality. Her work was supervised and

checked by the local Society; 84 out of 111 births in the town were attended by this midwife, including one still-birth and five premature births.

Henzada.—The activities of the Henzada District Child Welfare Society were confined to the collection of funds and preparation of plans for a clinic in Henzada town. A suitable site has been obtained and plans and estimates have been prepared. In the beginning of December, a Baby Show combined with a Fancy Fair was held to which a large number of babies were brought.

Myittha.—The Society at Myittha held a Baby Show about the middle of February at which some 100 babies were exhibited. The Society was only formed in 1926 and is not yet firmly established. It is hoped its activities will be widened at an early date and will not be limited to an annual demonstration.

Kyauksè.—The Society only met occasionally. Clothes for distribution to the poor were purchased from funds raised by subscription.

Katha.—The Society has a scheme on foot for the erection of a maternity ward. It co-operates with the municipal result-system midwife who conducted 48 out of 138 births recorded.

Sagaing.—The Secretary of the Society at Sagaing, Dr. (Miss) T. Florence, is also in sub-charge of the Hospital maternity ward where 111 confinements took place.

New Infant Welfare Societies have been formed at Yenangyaung and Wakèma, and movements for their formation in Akyab, Mawlaik and Mogôk have commenced.

The Societies at Yamèthin, Ma-ubin, Shwebo, Myaungmya and Sagaing ceased to function owing to lack of local interest.

16. Baby Shows.—Judging by the increasing number held each year and the excitement displayed over them Baby Shows have become a national institution in Burma. Besides the celebrations held in Magwe, Ma-ubin and Myittha commented upon above, Shows were held in the following places:—Rangoon, Moulmein, Pegu, Henzada, Tavoy, Sandoway, Bhamo, Minbu, and in the following towns in the Northern Shan States:—Kutkai, Momeik, Lashio, Mongyai, and Hseinwi. The reports do not in all cases give the number of babies entered for the Shows and very few of them give the age-groups. The number of entries in each of the following places were:—

Rangoon	•••	938	Kutkai	• • •	211
Tavoy		300	Momeik	•••	250
Pegu	•••	271	Lashio	• • •	280
Bhamo	• • •	400	Mongyai	• • •	400
Minbu	•••	152	1010		
Myittha	•••	100	Total	• • •	3,335
Ma-ubin	• • •	33			

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SECTION VI.

HISTORY OF CHIEF DISEASES.

Statements VI-A, VI-B, VII VIII, XII and Char V. 17. Deaths from Epidemic Diseases.—Deaths in the registration area from the three principal epidemic diseases, cholera, small-pox and plague, numbered 4,528, 1,704 and 3,508 respectively. The ratios per 1,000 of population compared with the corresponding figures for the previous year and the quinquennial mean are tabulated below.—

		Cholera.			Small-pox.			Plague.		
Name and Address of the Control of t		1 926.	1927.	Q.M.	1926.	1 927.	Q.M.	1926.	1927.	Q.M.
Rural		•50	•34	.38	·20	.11	.30	.11	.11	'16
Urban	•••	1.10	.99	·95	.38	·56	.65	1.52	2.00	3.09
Provincial	•••	·57	·42	•42	.22	.16	.24	.27	.32	.21

The above table illustrates the extent to which these diseases, particularly plague, affect towns more than rural areas. The ratios for rural areas, however, must be accepted with reserve as registration is in such an unsatisfactory state. While there is a decline in the provincial ratios for cholera and small-pox and a rise under plague compared to 1926, the ratios were all lower than the respective quinquennial averages.

Statement VI-A. 18. Cholera (Rural).—The rural death ratio for cholera declined from '50 per mille in 1926 to '34 in the year under review. The actual number of deaths was 3,297 (including 11 deaths reported from Meiktila District after the Annual Statements were compiled),—a decrease of 1,507 on the figure for 1926. More than two-thirds of the total deaths from cholera were returned from Pegu, Irrawaddy and Magwe Divisions. For three consecutive years the districts of Tavoy and Mergui have been free from the disease. Kyaukpyu District also was free this year. The highest ratios were recorded in the following districts:—

Prome (1'29), Ma-ubin (1'17), Henzada and Minbu (1'14 each), Tharrawaddy ('79) and Kyauksè ('71). High ratios were returned from all these districts in 1926 also. The severe epidemic which broke out in Prome District in 1926 continued throughout 1927 with a slight abatement in the months of February, March and April. It affected 145 villages and the mortality was high in 4 police circles. The actual number of deaths was 417 against 327 in 1926. The highest mortality was in October. Ma-ubin District has not been completely free from cholera for many years but during 1926 and 1927 a greater number of deaths occurred than in any year since 1919. The number for 1927 is

however less than for 1926. Inoculation was pushed vigorously and the District Health Officer rightly or wrongly attributes the freedom of many villages from the disease in the year under review to this Henzada District there were 666 cholera attacks In measure. deaths, against 417 and 389 respectively in 1926. with 583 disease was again prevalent in Minbu District. Sinbyugyun Township suffered severely from October to December and 118 out of 300 deaths in the district occurred in that area during the above period. In Tharrawaddy District 353 deaths were registered against 274 in 1926. and the District Health Officer notes that rural areas were infected from large insanitary towns like Gyobingauk. In the Kyauksè District the number of deaths from cholera fell from 137 in 1926 to 97 during the year. Epidemics of cholera of greater or less severity have occurred in Bassein District for the last decade with the exception of the years 1923 and 1925. The cause is defective water supplies which fail in the dry season so that the people have to draw from the river which is usually polluted near its banks.

A satisfactory reduction in the ratio of deaths for cholera compared to last year is noticeable in Akyab, Hanthawaddy, Insein, Magwe and

Yamèthin Districts.

Cholera (Urban).—The urban ratio for cholera declined from 1'10 Statement per mille in 1926 to '99 in the year under review. There were 136 fewer deaths than in 1926. Nineteen towns remained completely free from the disease. The highest ratios were from Gyobingauk (16'04) and Letpadan (13.23). In the latter the disease was at its height in October and November when 114 attacks with 106 deaths occurred. The total figures for the year were 140 attacks with 131 deaths.

High ratios were returned from Magwe (6.52), Thayetmyo (5.66), Thônzè (5'61), Yandoon (5'35), Shwedaung (4'50), Zigôn (4'48), Minhla (3'92), Minbu (3'89) and Paungdè (3'96). Thayetmyo had been practically free of the disease for the last four years as only sporadic cases occurred in 1924 and 1926. In Thônzè there were 41 attacks with 37 deaths. Two occurred in March and the rest in November. In this month 1,125 anti-cholera inoculations were carried out in the town. The incidence of cholera in Yandoon Municipality was only slightly less than last year. The disease occurs every year with greater or lesser severity and will no doubt continue to do so until a protected water supply is introduced. In Minbu town it is noteworthy that during an outbreak of cholera in November the disease was confined to that quarter of the town to which the piped supply has not been extended. The rest of the town escaped with only a single case. There had been no deaths from cholera in Paungdè town from 1923-1925 inclusive, but in 1926 and 1927 together 89 deaths occurred. The water supply is from Municipal tanks and surface wells which are liable to pollution. A scheme is at present under consideration for a protected supply.

During the year there was an epidemic of cholera in Kyaiklat town resulting in 37 attacks with 22 deaths as against four fatal attacks last year. The Commissioner, Irrawaddy Division, remarks that 'the town is being slowly allowed to descend into the depths of insanitation by the Municipal Committee. It has allowed its water works to fall into disrepair and the Committee has done nothing at all during the year. A severe outbreak of cholera in March was not surprising in view of the neglect of the water works and the general bad conservancy of the town.'

Graphs VIII and VIIIa illustrate the effect the introduction of a piped supply has had on the incidence of cholera in certain towns. In Ma-ubin many people still drink river water and hence the disease continues to recur though in less degree, and as stated above the recent epidemics in Minbu affected only those parts not served by pipes.

19. Anti-Cholera Measures. (a) Inoculation.—In spite of the fact that cholera was less prevalent than last year, the total inoculations amounted to 62,467 (24,750 in urban and 37,717 in rural areas) as against 44,314 in 1926. The confidence of the public in the measure is steadily increasing. In the following districts and towns a relatively large number of inoculations were carried out:—

Districts.—Henzada (7,021), Prome (6,373), Tharrawaddy (4,908), Ma-ubin (4,695), Pyapôn (3,828), Bassein (2,610), Thatôn (1,769), Salween (1,169) and Minbu (1,024).

Towns.—Syriam (3,311), Henzada (2,280), Letpadan (2,068), Moulmeingyun (1,814), Wakèma (1,753), Magwe (1,700), Gyobingauk (1,617), Paungdè (1,434), Tharrawaddy (1,384), Prome (1,349) and Thônzè (1,125).

Vigorous inoculation campaigns were carried out in all districts and towns where cholera was in epidemic form during the year.

Statement VIII.

20. Small-pox.—The provincial ratio for small-pox declined from '22 per mille in 1926 and '24, the quinquennial mean, to '16 in the year under review. The total number of deaths numbered 1,704—a decrease of 635 over the figure for 1926. Approximately 8 per cent. of the total deaths occurred among children under one year of age and 68 per cent. in persons over ten years of age. No deaths were reported either from towns or villages in Kyaukpyu, Sandoway, Amherst, Mergui and Minbu Districts. The mortality from small-pox was highest in April and May and lowest in January and November.

Statement VI-A.

Rural.—The rural ratio for small-pox was '11 per mille as against '20 per mille, the ratio for 1926. Relatively high ratios were returned from Magwe ('37), Pegu and Lower Chindwin (each '28), Toungoo ('25), Myingyan and Shwebo (each '20). The ratios for the first four districts were higher than in 1926 and lower for the last two. The

disease was less prevalent in Myingyan District than in 1925 and 1926. In Toungoo District there were 88 deaths—a larger number than in any of the previous six years. In this district a hoongyi who was practising inoculation was prosecuted.

The epidemic which began in Shwebo District in 1926 continued in the year under review resulting in 564 attacks and 74 deaths. All townships were affected and there appears to have been great laxity in the notification of early cases. In Prome District also the disease continued from the previous year resulting in 56 deaths. A large proportion of the deaths occurred in Padating Township where an inoculator was successfully prosecuted. This same township was badly affected in 1926 and it is hoped that one source of infection at least has been permanently stamped out.

The whole of Hanthawaddy District suffered badly from small-pox during the year. Here also the epidemic was a continuation of the 1926 outbreak. It resulted in 257 attacks and 58 deaths. There is reason to believe that many more cases occurred than were actually reported. The epidemic was at its height in March and April.

Small-pox (Urban).—The urban ratio for small-pox was '56 per mille, an increase of '18 per mille over the figure for 1926 but a decline from the quinquennial mean by '09 per mille. A very severe epidemic occurred in Taungdwingyi Municipality during the months of February to June. There were 340 attacks with 191 deaths, a mortality of 56'17 per cent. The town had been practically free from the disease since 1912. Approximately 42 per cent. of the total deaths in the town for the year were due to small-pox and of the deaths from this cause 65 per cent. were among children under ten years of age. This points to a neglect to enforce the Vaccination Acts.

High mortality ratios were returned from Minbya (5.17) and Pakôkku (4.36). In the former town there is no vaccination staff, vaccinations being done by the Sub-Assistant Surgeon at the hospital. In Pakôkku which was almost free from small-pox in 1926 there were 108 attacks with 85 deaths.

It is a feature of the vital statistics of towns in Burma that epidemics Chart V. of small-pox recur at more or less regular intervals. The reason is defective registration of births which leads to a gradual accumulation of children who have escaped vaccination and who fall victims to the disease when infection is imported.

21. Small-pox cases treated in Hospitals.—Seven hundred and sixtyseven small-pox cases were treated in contagious diseases hospitals and Of this number, 657 were in the Rangoon Corporation isolation wards. Contagious Diseases Hospital and the remainder in hospitals in 12 districts. Of the total number treated, 484 had marks of vaccination, 8 showed no marks though it was claimed that vaccination had been

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successful, and 265 were unvaccinated. While the case mortality among the vaccinated, however imperfectly protected, was only 7 per cent. that among the unvaccinated or unsuccessfully vaccinated was 32 per cent.

Small-pox cases were for the most part isolated in separate wards of the local contagious diseases hospitals or in isolation wards of Civil Hospitals. In a few places temporary sheds were put up outside the inhabited area to accommodate them.

Statement XII.

22. Plague.—The provincial death rate from plague was '32 per miller as against '27 in 1926 and '51, the quinquennial mean. The total number of deaths registered was 3,508, of which 2,492 occurred in urban and the rest in rural areas. Arakan Division and Tavoy and Mergui Districts as usual remained free. The incidence of the disease has been steadily falling in Amherst District for several years, and in 1927 no deaths occurred either in Moulmein or other towns in the district or in the rural areas.

Statement VI-A.

Rural.—The greatest mortality was returned from the following districts:—

Meiktila (247), Henzada (98), Bassein (96), Yamèthin (73), Tharrawaddy (67), Minbu (60) and Myingyan (55). Meiktila District has not been free of plague for many years. In fact, deaths have occurred in the district every year with the exception of 1919, since the disease was reintroduced into the Province in 1905. The largest number of cases occurred in November and December in Meiktila Township, when the disease was at its height in Meiktila town. In Yamèthin District there were more deaths from plague than in any of the past three years—altogether 111 attacks with 73 deaths. During the first quarter of the year, plague appeared in sporadic form in some villages, the infection probably being introduced from Pyinmana town. From July onwards it spread to other villages, notably Mônyon village, where the wunthanu section of the people who obstinately refused inoculation, were the worse sufferers. In Minbu District which has been practically free of plague since 1923 one police circle was infected.

Statement VI-B.

Urban.—The urban plague death rate for the year was 2'00 per mille as against 1'52 in 1926 and 3'09, the quinquennial mean. There has been a check in the gradual decline in the mortality from plague in towns which has been noticeable since the year 1922.

Relatively high death ratios for plague were returned from the following towns:—

Gyobingauk (17'22), Minhla (14'89), Minbu (13'51), Zigôn (12'15), Meiktila (11'73), Prome (8'90), Kyauksè (8'35), Magwe (7'42), Allanmyo (7'58), Kyangin (7'79), Thayetmyo (6'97), Kyaikto (6'98), Myingyan (6'71), Ngathainggyaung (6'24), Pyawbwe (5'95) and Thônzè (5'00). In Gyobingauk the epidemic was the severest since 1910. There were altogether 146 attacks with 132 deaths, and all occurred during

the first three months of the year. In Letpadan, Thônzè and Zigôn the outbreaks were also in the first three months. In the first of these the epidemic was a continuation from the previous year. Out of a total of 43 attacks and 36 deaths, 36 attacks and 29 deaths took place in January, February and March. In Zigôn there were two waves in the mortality curve: a fairly high one in the early part of the year and a lessor one in November and December. The total deaths registered were 84 out of 140 attacks. In Prome also the outbreak was a continuation from 1926. It was at its height during the first three months when there were 214 deaths out of 232 deaths for the whole year. In Magwe town, on the other hand, the first outbreak was in February when four deaths were recorded. A second outbreak commenced in November when the highest mortality was reached. In Thayetmyo the epidemic commenced in June and continued till the close of the year. There were 75 deaths against 16 in 1926. The disease re-appeared in Minbu town for the first time for seven years and was prevalent in the early part of the year causing 73 deaths. In Mandalay town the epidemic was slightly less severe than in 1926 as 278 deaths were recorded against 382 in 1926. The outbreak was severe during first four months of the year and the last two. The mortality from plague in Mandalay has shown a tendency to fall for the last four years. Maymyo suffered severely during the year, 75 attacks and 68 deaths. The epidemic was severe from August to October. Meiktila town suffered more severely than since 1922. The first cases occurred in April when there were four deaths, but no more were reported until August from which time the epidemic continued and was still prevalent at the close of the year. Altogether 121 attacks with 104 deaths were registered. There is little doubt but that Meiktila town was the source of the infection that played such havoc in the district.

- 23. Anti-Plague Measures. (a) Rat Destruction.—The total number of rats destroyed was 902,140 as compared with 711,063 in 1926. In Rangoon Corporation area alone 864,962 were killed. No rat destruction was carried out in rural areas except Myingyan and Northern Shan States but a certain amount was done in the following towns—Syriam, Bassein, Henzada, Myaungmya, Pyapôn, Kyaikto, Moulmein, Maymyo and Myingyan.
- (b) Inoculation.—The total number of inoculations performed during the year was 102,859 as against 54,979 in 1926, of which 60,235 were done in towns and the rest in rural areas. The largest inoculation figures were:—

Towns.—Mandalay (4,904), Bassein (4,862), Maymyo (4,598), Prome (4,581), Meiktila (4,559), Sagaing (3,231), Tharrawaddy (3,203), Myingyan (3,010), Minhla (2,375), Yamèthin (2,163), Kyauksè (1,966), Pyinmana (1,673), Zigôn (1,639), Minbu (1,633), Magwe (1,553),

Gyobingauk (1,538), Henzada (1,500), Shwebo (1,487), Paungde (1,243) and Thayetmyo (1,081).

Districts.—Meiktila (14,555), Yamèthin (8,402), Lower Chindwin (3,338), Henzada (2,703), Bassein (1,984), Sagaing (1,978), Tharrawaddy (1,669), Prome (1,407) and Minbu (1,375).

It is noted that in Meiktila District record inoculation figure was reached while the figure in Yamèthin District was the highest since 1918. The largest number of inoculations done in the rural areas of Meiktila District in any previous year was 1,776 in 1924. Great credit is due to the medical officers concerned in these two districts. In Meiktila District the success must be attributed in due proportion to the energy and zeal of the District Health Officer Dr. J. J. G. Da'Costa and the steady spade work of Dr. Ah Shoung, Assistant District Health Officer, during the last three years.

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24. Fever.—Among the specified causes of death the highest mortality was, as usual, recorded under 'fever.' In a country where only a small fraction of the sick are seen by medical men this is to be expected. Deaths under fever numbered 75,321 or 2,531 more than in 1926. The ratio was 6'96 as against 6'73 in 1926 and 7'00, the quinquennial mean. The 'fever' mortality was at its height in December and at its lowest in February. Of the total deaths 69,353 occurred in rural and 5,968 in urban areas, the ratio for rural areas being 7'24 and for urban areas 4'79.

Among rural areas relatively high rates were returned from Tavoy (14'43), Thayetmyo (13'23), Minbu (13'31), Akyab (13'80), Sandoway (11'97) and Prome (11'37) Districts.

Out of the 5,968 deaths under the 'fever' group in towns, 2,373 were recorded as due to malaria, 441 to enteric, 177 to influenza, 97 to measles, 22 to cerebro-spinal meningitis, 3 to acute poliomyelitis and the rest (2,855) to 'other fevers.'

The death rate from malaria in towns was 1'10 per mille during the year as against 1'91, the ratio for 1926 and the quinquennial mean. High rates were returned from Kyaikto (10'46), Pyawbwe (9'99), Kyangin (9'48), Myinmu (8'27), Shwegyin (7'12), Pyapôn (5'88), Kyaukpyu (5'66), Pegu (5'49), Pyinmana (5'37), Kyaiklat (5'31) and Wakèma (5'21).

Satisfactory reductions are noted in the following towns from which high malaria mortality ratios were returned in 1926:—Pyu (-4'80), Pyapôn (-4'57), Paungdè (-3'32), Pegu (-3'19), Kyauksè (-3'11), Taungdwingyi (-2'69), Gyobingauk (-2'61) and Kawkareik (-2'43).

Relatively high ratios for enteric fever were recorded in Kyaiklat (1'84), Pyapôn (1'44), Bassein (1'13), Mandalay (1'01) and Ye-u (1'09). In all of them the high incidence is attributable to a contaminated public water supply. In Tavoy town, where a high incidence from 'fever' is recorded annually, there is reason to believe that enteric fever is rife.

The supply is from shallow wells which are obviously open to pollution but the Municipal Committee has up to date refused to agree to the introduction of a piped supply. At one time the town of Kyaiklat had an ample and safe water supply, but in recent years, as noted elsewhere, the distribution system has been allowed to fall into disrepair, with the result that deaths from enteric fever—a water-borne disease—have increased year by year:—

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25. Cinchona Febrifuge and other Tablets.—The total number of four-grain cinchona febrifuge tablets manufactured by the Prison Department was 5,219,340, to which may be added 119,260 tablets, the balance in stock at the close of the previous year, thus making a total of 5,338,600 tablets available for issue during the year. Issues to Treasury Officers and others amounted to 5,188,400 tablets and the year closed with a balance of 150,200 tablets.

Treasuries sold during the year 16,404,400 grains of cinchona febrifuge in the form of tablets—an increase of 2,982,000 grains on last year's sale. Out of 38 District Treasuries, 23 showed an increase in sales when compared with last year. The increase is marked in the Northern Shan States (+898,400), the Southern Shan States (+852,800), Bassein (+388,000), Akyab (+317,200), Pegu (+272,000), Thatôn (+236,000) and Bhamo (+229,600); while a heavy decrease in sales is noted in Amherst (-296,800), Katha (-220,800), Toungoo (-181,600) and Magwe (-122,000) Districts. Eight hundred and fourteen thousand cinchona febrifuge tablets were distributed free in Chin Hills, Katha, Amherst, Sandoway and Tavoy Districts, during the year an increase of 1,000 tablets over last year. The largest free supply was in Katha and Chin Hills Tracts. The largest consumptions per head of population were in Katha District (13'03 grains); Bhamo and Myitkyina coming next with 11'37 grains and 8'73 grains respectively. Compared with other districts a very large number of tablets are consumed yearly in the two border districts of Bhamo and Myitkyina, and as has been noted above, there has been a very marked increase in the sales in the Shan States this year. It is possible that a good deal finds its way across the border into China. In Tavoy District where, as usual, the highest fever mortality for the Province (13.62) was recorded, only 1'81 grains per head of population were consumed. The average consumption per head of population for the whole Province rose from 1'04 in 1926 to 1'49 during the year under review.

Cholera and Eye Lotion Tablets.—Twelve thousand five hundred cholera tablets (two grains potassium permanganate) were issued during the year, of which 10,000 went to Prome District. Fifteen thousand

eye lotion tablets were issued to the District Health Officer, Mergui. No other indents for these latter tablets were received.

Statements X, VI-A, VI-B (a).

26. Dysentery and Diarrhoea.—This year the returns for these diseases which were unusually prevalent in 1926 were back to normal. Out of a total of 8,279 deaths, 5,197 occurred in urban and 3,082 in rural areas. The Provincial ratio was '76 per mille as against '96 last year and '77, the quinquennial mean.

Ratios of one per mille or above were returned from the following rural areas:—Mergui (1'29), Henzada (1'21) and Akyab (1'00).

The urban ratio was 2'47 per mille as against 3'32 in 1926, being in excess of the rural ratio by 1'93 per mille. Towns in the Irrawaddy Division with very few exceptions had high mortality ratios, notably Myanaung (5'65 and 1'92), Moulmeingyun (2'78 and 4'09) and Pyapôn (4'57 and 1'57). A high ratio (3'91) was also returned from Kyaikto in the Tenasserim Division.

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27. Respiratory Diseases.—The Provincial ratio for 'respiratory diseases' was 1'03 as against a quinquennial average of 1'04 per mille. There was a big difference in the mortality ratios for men and women from these causes, as the ratio for the former was 1'23 per mille while for the latter it was only '82 per mille. This difference was evident in all districts of Burma, except Rangoon where the ratio for men was 9'51 and for women 10'38. The male mortality ratio was markedly in excess of the female in Akyab, Bassein, Amherst and Mandalay Districts.

Towns.—The following table shows that the mortality from pulmonary tuberculosis and pneumonia in towns is increasing:—

Year.			Ratio for Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Ratio for Pneumonia.	Ratio for other respiratory diseases.
1920	***	•••	1.13	2:32	3.24
1921	•••		1.32	. 2:44	3.54
1922	•••		1 40	2.44	3.23
1923	***	•••	1:32	2:28	2.92
1924	***		1:51	2.39	3.08
1925	•••		1.65	2:58	2.63
1926	•••	•••	1.66	2.74	2.92;
1927	•••		1 [,] 64	2.75	. 2.60

During the year 2,052 deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis and 3,434 deaths from pneumonia were registered in towns. Of these 1,396

deaths from the former cause and 2,211 from the latter were registered in Rangoon, Bassein, Moulmein and Mandalay. Relatively high ratios for pulmonary tuberculosis and pneumonia were returned from the following towns:—Ngathainggyaung (6.05 and 3.51), Moulmeingyun (5.40 and 3.76), Bassein (2.68 and 2.70), Pyapôn (2.61 and 4.83), Rangoon (2.61 and 4.71), Pakôkku (2.20 and 4.82), Moulmein (2.19 and 91), Prome (2.07 and 1.53), Toungoo (2.07 and 2.53), Gyobingauk (5.2 and 4.96), Minbu (1.67 and 5.37), Maymyo (1.51 and 4.53), Yamèthin (7.9) and 7.33).

In Maymyo town, there was a marked increase in the number of deaths from pneumonia as 75 deaths were registered during the year as against 38 and 35 deaths respectively in 1926 and 1925. A rather virulent type of influenza was prevalent in the town in the latter part of the year when many deaths were recorded from this cause.

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- 28. Beri-beri. —Four hundred and eighty-five deaths from beriberi were registered in towns during the year against an average number of one hundred and ninety-two during the previous five years. The bulk of the deaths (206) occurred in Akyab but 115 were recorded in Rangoon. The cause in Akyab was probably the consumption of mouldy rice of which large quantities were stocked by dealers and sold at cheap rates. Six samples analysed by the Chemical Examiner were declared unfit for human consumption. Seizure under section 110 (1) of the Municipal Act was urged by the Health Officer, but though some exposed for sale in the bazaar was seized and destroyed there was a regrettable delay in full utilization of the powers possessed by the Committee in the matter.
- 29. Hookworm Infection in Jails.—During the year 12,254 prisoners in seven jails were examined for this condition. Of these 3,942 or 32'17 per cent. were found to be infected. The heaviest infections as expressed in percentages were at Rangoon (56'69) and Moulmein (41'87) while the lowest (12'63) was at Ma-ubin.
- 30. Makawlam.—As great publicity has been given by laymen in recent years to a condition diagnosed by practitioners of indigenous medicine as makawlam, a committee of medical men was appointed to investigate and report to the Local Government. As was to be expected it reported that it had been unable to discover any disease hitherto unknown to science.
- 31. Goitre.—The areas in which this disease is prevalent have been noted in last year's Report. No progress has been made in prophylactic measures, but in Upper Chindwin District particularly sufferers from goitre are coming in more readily for treatment, several hundred cases having passed through the hands of the Civil Surgeon and his

staff. The condition is widely prevalent in Mogôk Subdivision and 150 cases attended the Mogôk Hospital. The villages in Nampai Chaung, 12 miles from Mogôk, appear to be particularly badly affected. In this area Burmans and Indians are remarkably free, while among the Palaungs and Shans, the former of whom are notorious for their insanitary habits, there are many cases. In reports received this year reference is made to the great prevalence of the condition in the riverine villages of the Kachin Hill Tracts and among the hill tribes in the Kēngtūng Subdivision, east of the Salween. The tribes in the latter area are said to attribute the disease to a deficiency of common salt in their diet.

- 32. Yaws.—An epidemic Sub-Assistant Surgeon working in Mônywa District between 1st June to 15th December 1927 reported that he had found cases of yaws in 30 villages and treated 202 sufferers. Judging by reports from other sources the disease is probably even more prevalent in the district than the above figures indicate. It is unfortunate that outbreaks of acute epidemic disease caused numerous interruptions in the investigation. Paucity of staff has so far prevented the institution of an organised campaign against the disease in this district but it is hoped that the difficulty will shortly be overcome. Another Sub-Assistant Surgeon was deputed to carry out treatment in Nyaungwun and surrounding villages in Mandalay District with a view to obtaining some idea of the exact prevalence of the disease in the locality. The work is still in progress.
- 33, Leprosy.—Towards the close of the year Dr. Muir of the Leprosy Research Laboratory, School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, proposed a survey of leprosy in the Chin Hills. The Local Government approved and four Provincial Sub-Assistant Surgeons were attached to the party sent from Calcutta. The cost of two of them was borne by the Burma Branch of the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association. The survey was carried out in Tiddim and Falam Subdivisions during December 1927 and the two succeeding months. A detailed report of the survey is awaited, but it is understood that the disease was found to be very prevalent and widely spread.
- 34. Lepers entering Burma.—Local Government (Department of Public Health) Notification No. 140, dated the 1st December 1924, makes it incumbent upon the master of every vessel arriving at any port in Burma from outside the Province to report every case of leprosy among the passengers or crew to the Port Health Officer, but none were reported although the Port Health Officer, Rangoon, detected 12 cases

in 9 vessels which had come from India. All these cases were allowed to proceed to their destinations. No leper is reported to have entered Burma through any of the other ports.

A bill for the prohibition of the entry into Burma of lepers by sea was submitted to the Central Government but withdrawn pending the elaboration of measures for the control of the disease throughout India.

35. Venereal Disease.—The report of the delegates of the British Social Hygiene Council to the Province was submitted to the Local Government towards the latter part of the year and is under consideration. Venereal disease is undoubtedly very prevalent in the Province but there is at present a dearth of reliable statistics. Out of 897 postmortem carried out at the Rangoon General Hospital on the bodies of patients who died in hospital and those brought by the Police, 10'26 per cent. showed signs of syphilis. Venereal Clinics are being opened at the more important towns and the Suppression of Brothels Act has been extended to more than 60 towns.

A Venereal Diseases Bill to provide proper facilities for treatment and to prohibit the sale of quack cures is at present under the consideration of the Local Government.

SECTION IX.

CIVIL SANITARY WORKS.

- 36. Expenditure on Civil Sanitary Works.—The total amount spent on the maintenance and improvement of water supplies, drainage, conservancy, and other sanitary works during the year was Rs. 88,39,236, of which Rs. 75,35,272 was spent in towns and Rs. 13,03,964 in rural areas representing 26'37 and 6'23 per cent. respectively of the aggregate income of Municipalities and Districts. Of the total income of Rs. 4,95,16,350, 3'32 per cent. was spent on water supplies, 6'12 per cent. on conservancy and 1'00 per cent. on drainage.
- 37. Provincial Public Health Board.—During the year under review the Secretary, Education Department, and the Secretaty, Local Government Department, were appointed Joint Secretaries of the Board. It held 3 meetings and considered 26 projects against 30 in 1926. The Projects Sub-Committee also held three meetings and considered 17 projects against 26 in 1926. The total grants sanctioned during the year amounted to Rs. 3,81,397 as compared-with Rs. 10,98,669 in 1926. The decrease was mainly due to the fact that schemes for which provision was made in the Public Health Budget did not progress as rapidly as was originally anticipated. The report of the Board together with a statement of grants is published as Appendix B.

38. Water Supplies.—During the year preliminary surveys for Water Supplies Schemes at Kyaikto, Mergui and Kyaukpadaung were completed. Estimates are now under preparation. The two experimental tube-wells already sunk in Insein having proved failures, a third was sunk at an estimated cost of Rs. 6,500 which gave a satisfactory yield.

An account of water supply and other schemes carried out or under consideration is given in the report of the Water and Sewerage Engineer, Public Works Department, which is published as Appendix A.

During recent years it has not been possible for the Water and Sewerge Engineer owing to the inadequacy of his staff to keep pace with demands from local bodies for water supply and drainage schemes.

- 39. Conservancy.—It is satisfactory to note that the Municipal Committees of both Henzada and Prome have not renewed the contracts for conservancy hitherto given out and now do the work departmentally though the former committee still had a contract for refuse removal at the end of the year. It is hoped that this too will soon be abolished. Both day and night conservancy have been very badly managed during the year, but with the abolition of contracts and now that a whole-time Health Officer has been appointed it is hoped there will be a marked improvement in the sanitation of the town which has been in a deplorable state for some years. There is no reason why a contractor should be allowed to make a profit out of the public when a committee can run conservancy establishments itself at cost price. Moreover, contractors invariably do the work very badly or just sufficiently well to prevent excessive public clamour and consequent abolition of the contract. The Municipal Committees of Pyapôn, Allanmyo and Pakôkku unfortunately still abide by contract systems. In Pyapôn night conservancy has been particularly bad. In Allanmyo day conservancy and in Pakôkku night conservancy are on contract. The day conservancy of Wakèma town is in a chaotic state. The town has a population of 8,447 and there must therefore be several tons of refuse to be removed daily, but only two sweepers are employed who remove rubbish in baskets and dump it wherever they please.
- 40. Anti-Malarial Operations.—Malaria surveys were carried out at Mawlaik, Kyaukpyu, Myithyina and in certain villages in Yamethin District.

The survey at Mawlaik was made by Assistant District Health Officer U Maung Gale between 25th June and 24th September. His report, with recommendations for the improvement of local conditions, has been submitted to the Local Government. Anti-malarial operations, such as can be carried out by a malaria gang, were conducted towards the maintenance of which the Provincial Public Health Board contributed Rs. 1,800.

In 1911-12 a very complete survey of Kyaukpyu Municipality and adjoining villages was made by Major N. P. O'Gorman Lalor, I.M.S., but it was considered advisable to repeat the survey this year in order to find whether conditions had materially changed. The fresh survey was made by Mr. E. S. Feegrade, Special Malaria Officer, between the 23rd June and 22nd October. From his report it would appear that in spite of the considerable sums that have been expended locally on antimalarial measures and contrary to local opinion conditions are very much the same, if not slightly worse than formerly. The reason would appear to be that none of the measures recommended by Major N. P. O'Gorman Lalor have been carried out completely.

A survey of Myitkyina town was made by Assistant District Health Officer U Tha Gyaw between the 24th June and 23rd October. His report is now under the consideration of the Local Government.

As a result of a survey of conditions favouring the incidence of malaria in Akyab town made in 1924 fairly extensive measures were carried out during the year. It is too early to form an opinion on the results, but the Municipal Committee has applied for a further grant towards the completion of the operations.

Following upon recommendations put forward by the Special Malaria Officer in his report after his survey of Lashio town in 1926, a committee was formed for the control and supervision of anti-malarial measures in that town.

During the year a contour survey of the lakes at Bhamo was carried out to help a decision as to what should be done to bring about a permanent improvement in local conditions regarding malaria. Meanwhile palliative measures, such as oiling, trimming and weed clearing, have been carried out on a somewhat extensive scale under the supervision of a Sub-Assistant Surgeon specially trained in anti-malarial work. The Provincial Public Health Board made a grant of Rs. 3,000 towards the cost of these operations, and a great reduction in the mosquito nuisance has been reported. It is intended to continue these operations pending the elaboration of more permanent measures.

Major Duckworth, Civil Surgeon, Northern Shan States, reports that useful anti-malarial work has been done at Kyaukme, Nawnghkio, North Hseinwi, Momeik, the Military Police area in Lashio, and at other places with the active co-operation of Mr. E. W. King, Assistant Superintendent, Lashio, and the Sawbwas. In North Hseinwi, for instance, a large and very unhealthy jungle village has been converted into some semblance of a decent well-ordered town. There has been a considerable fall in the average monthly attendance of Military Police at the hospital in Lashio in the year under review and it is believed the improvement is the result of anti-malarial measures carried out in the lines.

As foreshadowed in last year's report a Malaria Bureau has been established in the Harcourt Butler Institute of Public Health. It opened on the 1st of September. The establishment consists of:—

1 Special Malaria Officer, 1 Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 1 Clerk, 2 Laboratory Assistants, and 1 Peon.

The object of the Bureau is to collate information with regard to malaria in the Province, to identify mosquitoes, to maintain type collections of mosquitoes, and to investigate all matters affecting the prevalence of anophelene mosquitoes and malaria in the Province. The instruction of students and graduates in malaria and anti-malarial work is also undertaken.

41. Port Health Department.—The following summarises the inspection and disinfection work done in the Port of Rangoon in connection with out-going and in-coming vessels during the year ending 31st December 1927. One thousand four hundred and fifty-five in-coming vessels with 5,21,600 passengers and crew and 538 vessels proceeding beyond India with 78,909 passengers and crew were examined. Among the in-coming vessels, 27 cases of infectious diseases as against 33 in 1926 were reported by masters of 23 vessels. Eighteen deaths from non-infectious diseases were reported on 17 vessels. Four hundred and fifteen vessels were inspected under the Vaccination Act of 1909,. and on 23 of these, 25 cases of infectious diseases were detected. The disinfection of 339 crew and 2,431 passengers of infected vessels was carried out. The kits of 36,883 Asiatic and African members of crews and 24,925 deck passengers in out-going vessels were disinfected. Three thousand three hundred and forty-seven baggage coolies were inspected and their clothes disinfected prior to handling passengers' luggage. Two steamers were fumigated on account of plague infection and at the request of Agents 18 empty vessels were fumigated to comply with the measures in force at the port of destination. No case of plague is known to have developed among the crew or passengers of these vessels on their outward voyages and no case of rat-plague was reported. The daily average attendance at the Port Commissioners' Dispensary was 1,256, making a total for the year of 35,308.

The following gentlemen very kindly supplied malted milk to the sick removed from ships prior to their despatch to hospital:—

Raja Dr. Ramanatha Reddiar, Mr. T. C. Barnabas, K.-I-H., Mr. Hurry Krishna Pillai, M.B.E., M.R.A.S., Mr. Chan Chor Khine, M.L.C.

SECTION X.

PERSONAL PROCEEDINGS AND GENERAL REMARKS.

42. Director and Assistant Directors of Public Health.—I was in charge of the office of the Director of Public Health from the beginning of the year till the 10th March when I proceeded on leave. On return from

leave on 29th November 1927, I went to Calcutta with Lieutenant-Colonel G. Jolly, I.M.S., to attend the Seventh Congress of the Far Eastern Association of Tropical Medicine. Lieutenant-Colonel Jolly officiated as Director of Public Health during my absence on leave and inspected the following places: - Pegu, Kyaukpyu, Kalaw, Taunggyi, Meiktila, Toungoo, Bassein, Myingyan, Maymyo, Hsipaw, Sagaing, Mônywa, Papun, Wakèma, Myaungmya, Shwedaung, Mawlaik, Kindat, Kalewa, Mingin, Kani, Hmawbi, and some villages. Major C. L. Bilderbeck, I.M.S., was on leave from the beginning of the year till the 28th August during which period Major E. C. A. Smith, I.M.S., officiated. The former inspected the sanitation of Tavoy Municipality. The latter was fully occupied in the early part of the year making arrangements for the visit of the delegates of the British Social Hygiene Council to the Province. He accompanied them on their visits to Maymyo, Yenangyaung and Prome. In April he inspected the site for a new jail at Mokpalin quarry. In addition to his duties as Assistant Director of Public Health he was Honorary Secretary to the Burma Branch of the Indian Red Cross Society.

43. Hygiene Publicity.—The post of Hygiene Publicity Officer was occupied by Dr. San Hla Aung, M.B., Ch.B., until the 24th of August when he went on study leave. Thereafter the post remained vacant until the end of the year, as no suitable substitute was available. He also acted as Secretary to the Burma Leprosy Relief Committee and the Popular Health Education Sub-Committee of the Red Cross Society. He accompanied the delegates of the Social Hygiene Council during their tours in the Province in January, and he personally conducted propaganda campaigns in the Myittha (Kyauksè District), Ma-ubin Municipality, Pegu Municipality, Taungdwingyi and Pyu.

A cinema film, entitled "The Village Well," in a Burmese setting and dealing with cholera, was produced during the year. This is the first locally-made Public Health film produced. It has proved very popular and it is hoped to extend this branch of activity. In Appendix E is a statement of the number of copies of publicity literature issued by the Department during the year. The Sub-Assistant Surgeons on epidemic duty in districts is the chief agent for hygiene publicity in rural areas.

44. Medical Officer of Fairs and Festivals,—The Local Government sanctioned the appointment of a full-time officer for a period of seventeen months from 1st October 1927 to investigate and report upon sanitary arrangements at fairs and festivals throughout the Province and upon epidemics originating as a result of these gatherings. Dr. Ba Kin, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., assumed charge on 8th October 1927. After a short preliminary training in this office he visited before the end of the year important fairs and festivals in Pegu, Prome, Kyauksè, and Myingyan

Districts. It is evident from the reports submitted by him that in a number of instances either no sanitary arrangements at all or at least inadequate ones had been made. No supervising or sanitary officer had been appointed, and little attention paid to the standing orders of the Government on the subject. The dates of festivals furnished to this office were in some cases incorrect and the medical officer made several long journeys to no purpose.

- 45. Assistant District Health Officers.—During the year Assistant District Health Officers were employed in Akyab, Prome, Bassein and Meiktila Districts. Dr. U Tha Gyaw was Assistant District Health Officer in Akyab District throughout the year, except for an interval between 24th May and 9th November when he was on special malaria duty in Myitkyina Town. Dr. U Tha Mya when he relinquished charge of his duties of Health Officer in Akyab Town was appointed as Assistant District Health Officer, Prome District, from 19th March and remained there till the 4th September when he proceeded on leave. In Bassein District Dr. U Maung Gale was Assistant District Health Officer from the beginning of the year to the 14th June, after which he was placed on special malaria duty in Mawlaik Town. From 11th October he was deputed to attend the course for the Diploma in Public Health at the Calcutta School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene. Dr. Ah Shoung was Assistant District Health Officer in Meiktila District throughout the year except for a period of about 1½ months when he attended the Government Malaria Training Class at Saharanpur. Dr Saw Kya Zit was appointed Assistant District Health Officer of Bassein District on the 29th June and continued in the appointment till the end of the year.
- 46. Health Officers in Selected Municipalities.—As a result of Local Government (Department of Public Health) letter No. 29825, dated the 20th January 1925, sanctioning the appointment of Health Officer in selected Municipalities and offering to contribute half the pay and allowances, the Municipalities of Prome and Pegu have appointed full-time Health Officers, the first with effect from the 18th June and the second with effect from the 9th November. The Municipal Committee of Henzada Town also decided to appoint a full-time Health Officer under the same conditions but the post had not been filled by the end of the year.

A scheme is at present under the consideration of the Local Government for the appointment of full-time Health Officers for both urban and rural areas on this same half pay grant system.

47. Sub-Assistant Surgeons.—The first duty of a Government in respect of public health is the suppression of epidemics, but in no district in this Province is there a fully organised staff for the purpose. The Civil Surgeon has to do the work of a District Health Officer in addition to his other manifold duties. There are only 24 Public Health Inspectors

altogether in rural areas, and the only other Public Health staff in districts are the vaccinators. Owing to the difficulty of getting qualified Burmans, it will be some years before adequate staffs can be organised. In the meantime it has been found necessary to employ a certain number of Sub-Assistant Surgeons under departmental control. whose primary duty is the suppression of epidemics. particularly useful for cholera preventive measures. They are moved from one district to another, and from one end of the Province to the other as epidemic disease breaks out and subsides. As the present sanctioned number is only 20, it is rarely possible to leave a man in any district for any length of time, but, as it is obviously desirable that each should get to know at least one district and the people in it, every effort is made to return them to the districts in which they have worked most as opportunity arises. The life is a hard one and the service unpopular, and there is no doubt most of the men employed will exercise their right to revert to the Medical Department at the end of three years. When there is no epidemic calling for concentrated effort, these Sub-Assistant Surgeons are employed in Public Health propaganda work, distributing pamphlets and giving lectures and brief addresses in villages; they also inspect vernacular schools, check vital statistics and vaccination work, and they do the bulk of the preventive inoculation done in rural areas. Proposals are before Government to increase the staff to a number sufficient to allow of one being posted to each district permanently. This, if sanctioned, will lead to fewer transfers at short notice and remove a very real cause of complaint. It will also enable propaganda work to be carried out in a more systematic manner than it has hitherto been possible.

During the year under review, in addition to the sanctioned number, 6 other Sub-Assistant Surgeons were requisitioned from the Medical Department at different times during emergencies.

Apart from epidemic and general sanitation duty, Sub-Assistant Surgeon S. C. Banerjee was employed during some $5\frac{1}{2}$ months in carrying out a malaria survey in certain villages in Yamèthin District. Sub-Assistant Surgeon U Ba Shin II assisted the Malaria Officer in conducting a survey of Kyaukpyu town during August, September and October; Sub-Assistant Surgeon U Tin carried out anti-malaria measures in Bhamo town during September and October. Sub-Assistant Surgeons U Tin and U Khin Maung Gyi were attached to the party deputed from the Leprosy Bureau of the Calcutta School of Tropical Medicine to carry out a Leprosy Survey in the Chin Hills during the months of December 1927, January and February 1928. Four Sub-Assistant Surgeons attended the course for the Government License in Hygiene in the Harcourt Butler Institute and one was trained in malaria work at Saharanpur in the Government of India Training Class in Malaria.

Amongst the Sub-Assistant Surgeons who were particularly successful in pushing inoculation work, mention may be made of the work of Sub-Assistant Surgeon U Ba Hman in Thatôn and Prome Districts; Sub-Assistant Surgeon U Lwin in Bassein and Tharrawaddy Districts; Sub-Assistant Surgeon Fattah in Yamèthin and Henzada Districts; Sub-Assistant Surgeon U Ba Myit in Minbu District. Sub-Assistant Surgeon S. M. Iyer of Bogale Civil Hospital did excellent work in persuading people to accept anti-cholera inoculation, as also did Sub-Assistant Surgeon Nair of Shwedauug Civil Hospital. Sub-Assistant Surgeons Shiva Rao and Azim Khan did a very large number of anti-plague inoculations in Thazi and Mahlaing dispensary respectively during the epidemic in Meiktila District.

The department suffered a serious loss in the death of Sub-Assistant Surgeon U Chit Pe in the month of June. He was a valuable Government servant and did excellent work while serving in this department.

Chart V in the Appendix shows the incidence of notifiable disease in the ratios per 1,000 for many years past. It will be observed that there has been a steady decline in all these diseases. Unfortunately the disorganisation of the collection of vital statistics makes the figures somewhat misleading. Plague moreover is probably dying out naturally but there is reason to believe, apart from the figures, that outbreaks of cholera are on the whole stamped out more quickly than formerly and that there is less tendency for the disease to get out of control.

- 48. Public Health Inspectors' Training Class.—The class for the training of Public Health Inspectors commenced on the 18th July with 23 students of whom two were nominated by District Councils, one by a Deputy Commissioner and three by Municipal and Town Committees. Three students dropped out during the course, but 25 including 5 who failed in the previous year appeared for the final examination held in March 1928 and 12 passed. The supply of qualified Public Health Inspectors has not been commensurate with the demand owing to the paucity of suitable candidates, but as local bodies are not required by law to appoint this class of official and there is little or no security of tenure there is little inducement for men of the proper class to take up this branch of work. During the last five years an average of 15 men have qualified each year.
- 49. Public Health Inspectors in Urban and Rural Areas.—At present, exclusive of Rangoon, only 84 Public Health Inspectors are employed in the Province by local bodies, of whom 24 are working in rural areas under District Councils and the remaining 60 in Municipal towns. None are employed in no less than 10 districts to which the Rural Self-Government Act has been extended. Some local bodies are slow to appreciate the necessity for employing this class of official and

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do not nominate candidates of their own selection which is the surest way to obtain suitable men.

inspection of schools and school children.—Medical inspection of schools and school children has been receiving greater attention during recent years, but the scheme for the improvement of school hygiene and systematic medical care of school children introduced in 1921, and revised in 1923, affects only the English, Anglot Vernacular and Normal Schools in the Province. Until there is a fully organised Public Health staff lin each town and district it will be impossible to give adequate attention to the 350,000 children attending the 5,600 vernacular schools. In the meantime, therefore, only the children of the comparatively well-to-do are cared for systematically who probably require it less than the children of the poorer classes.

Out of a total of 284 schools on the list medical inspection reports of 108 were received during the year as against 123 in 1926; 60 of these were schools receiving a certain number of boarders. Although medical inspection lis compulsory in all Government schools other than vernacular schools, it is still optional in aided schools. There does not appear to be any good reason why the great majority of aided schools should not be included in the Medical Inspection Scheme. Medical inspection reports are now submitted yearly instead of biannually and forms have been revised with a view to reducing clerical labour.

Of the 30,613 pupils on the rolls of the schools inspected, 28,981 pupils or 94'67 per cent. were examined by medical officers, which is an improvement by 1'78 per cent. over the figure for 1926. Of these 63'17 per cent. were protected by primary vaccination, 29'56 per cent. by re-vaccination, 3'44 per cent. by small-pox; the remaining 3'83 per cent. were unprotected. A considerable amount of anti-plague and cholera inoculation was done among children attending schools in localities where these diseases were prevalent.

The following table gives the percentages for several years of the total number examined, found suffering from certain morbid conditions:—

	Year.		Defective vision including trachoma.	Defective hearing.	Defective throat including enlarged tonsils.	Anæmia and enlarged spleen.	Defective teeth.	Tuber- culosis.	Mental or nervous.
-	(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
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It will be noticed that morbid conditions of the throat, carious teeth and affections of the eyes are the most common defects. In some-schools practically 40 per cent. of pupils suffer from defects of the teeth, 30 per cent. from enlarged tonsils and 20 per cent. from trachoma and defective vision.

It is a distressing fact that a large number of school medical officers complain of the utter apathy and lack of interest in their children displayed by some parents. It is of course utterly useless to spend large sums on school medical inspection if the advice of the medical officers is not going to be carried out. As an example of such parental apathy out of 139 cases of defective teeth at the Methodist English Girls' High School, Rangoon, only 12 were cured. Various measures have been suggested by medical officers including the offering of prizes for personal cleanliness, etc. The Medical Officer, Anglo-Vernacular High School, Mergui, arranges for parents to be present at the time of inspection of defective children whereby he reports that he has in many cases enlisted their interest and co-operation. There are however hopeful signs of the growth of parental intelligence in some quarters. For instance, the Medical Officers of St. Paul's Institution, of St. Gabriel's, and of the Myoma National Boys' High Schools, Rangoon, report that parents are beginning to take an interest in and to realize the value of such medical inspections, and in many cases are getting their children properly treated. Similarly at the A.B.M. Karen High School, Henzada, the employment of a trained nurse seems to have done much to reduce sickness as she carries out the medical officer's instructions on behalf of the parents. We can only hope, therefore, that in time parents will realize that medical inspections are not merely an objectionable formality instituted by Government but that they have been instituted for the sake of the health and happiness of the individual child and thereby for the race as a whole. Parental education must needs be slow, but elementary hygiene is now taught in schools, and it is hoped that the standard thereof will be gradually raised, so that hereafter may arise a generation of parents more intelligent and responsive than their forefathers.

During the year defects noticed by medical officers in buildings, furniture and in general sanitation of the school area were corrected as far as possible by the school authorities, but those which involve expensive structural alterations must await provision of funds.

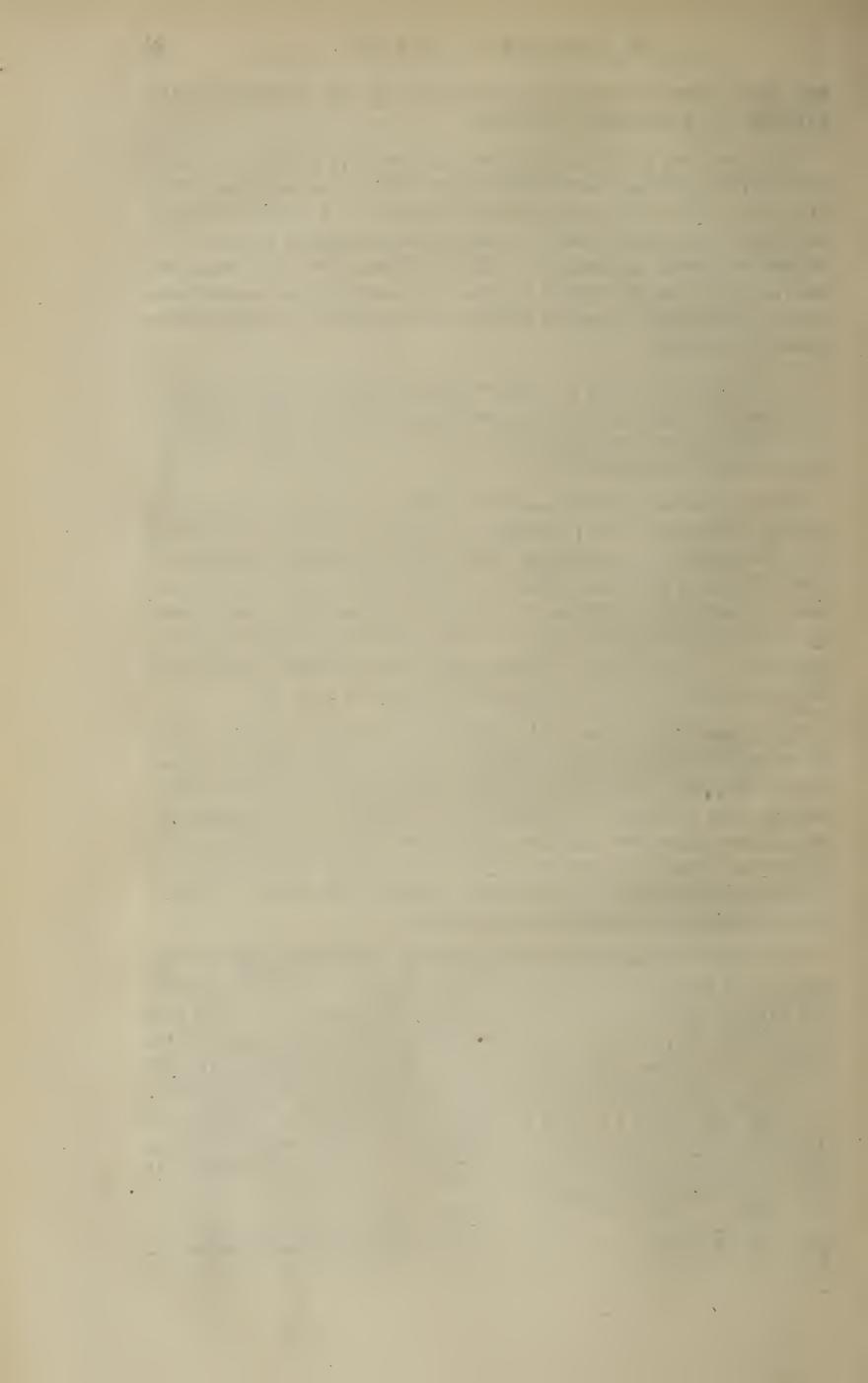
During the year this department examined the plans of 29 schools, and suggested various hygienic improvements. A marked feature was the apparent absence of facilities for recreation for pupils in many schools. Organized games, drill, etc., form an important part of the physical, mental, and moral training of children and it is hoped that, now that the Rangoon Playground Committee's report has been published, early action will be taken to provide for such town schools as

may need them recreation facilities which are not available in the environment of the schools concerned.

- 51. Sanitation of Police Lock-ups.—As a result of a Conference held at Government House on the 27th August 1926, steps have been taken to prevent overcrowding and the long detention of prisoners in Police Lock-ups. A new type plan for lock-ups with improved sanitary conveniences is under consideration. Revised rules have been issued by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, prescribing the duties of Sub-Assistant Surgeon in charge of Lock-ups in respect of sanitation and the health of prisoners.
- 52. Sanitary Condition of Mines.—The report on the Burma Corporation Mines at Namtu along with a summary of the sanitary condition of the Mines in Tavoy and Mergui Districts and of the Môkpalin Quarries is published as Appendix C.
- 53. The Burma Ghee Adulteration Act, 1917.—Under the Burma Ghee Adulteration Act of 1917, 129 samples of ghee were taken by the officers of the Rangoon Corporation and 54 of these were declared adulterated by the Chemical Examiner to the Government of Burma. Prosecutions were not instituted in 18 cases. In three other cases the samples were taken for Court purposes. In all 24 defaulters were fined, two were acquitted. In one case the prosecution was dropped and the six remaining cases were pending disposal at the end of the year.
- 54. Submission of Annual Public Health Reports from Districts.—With the exception of those of five districts, annual reports were received in my office this year long after they were due (31st March), several arriving late in May. A number also have had to be returned for rectification of errors with the result that the preparation of this Report has been very greatly delayed. The reports of the following districts were very late:—Thayetmyo, Toungoo, Mandalay, Ma-ubin, Tavoy, Mergui, Katha and Upper Chindwin.
- 55. Office Establishment.—Owing to the rapid expansion of the department during recent years it has been found necessary to approach the Local Government for additional clerical assistance. I take this opportunity of recording my appreciation of the loyal support and willing co-operation of all members of my office establishment without which it would not have been possible to cope with the increased work.

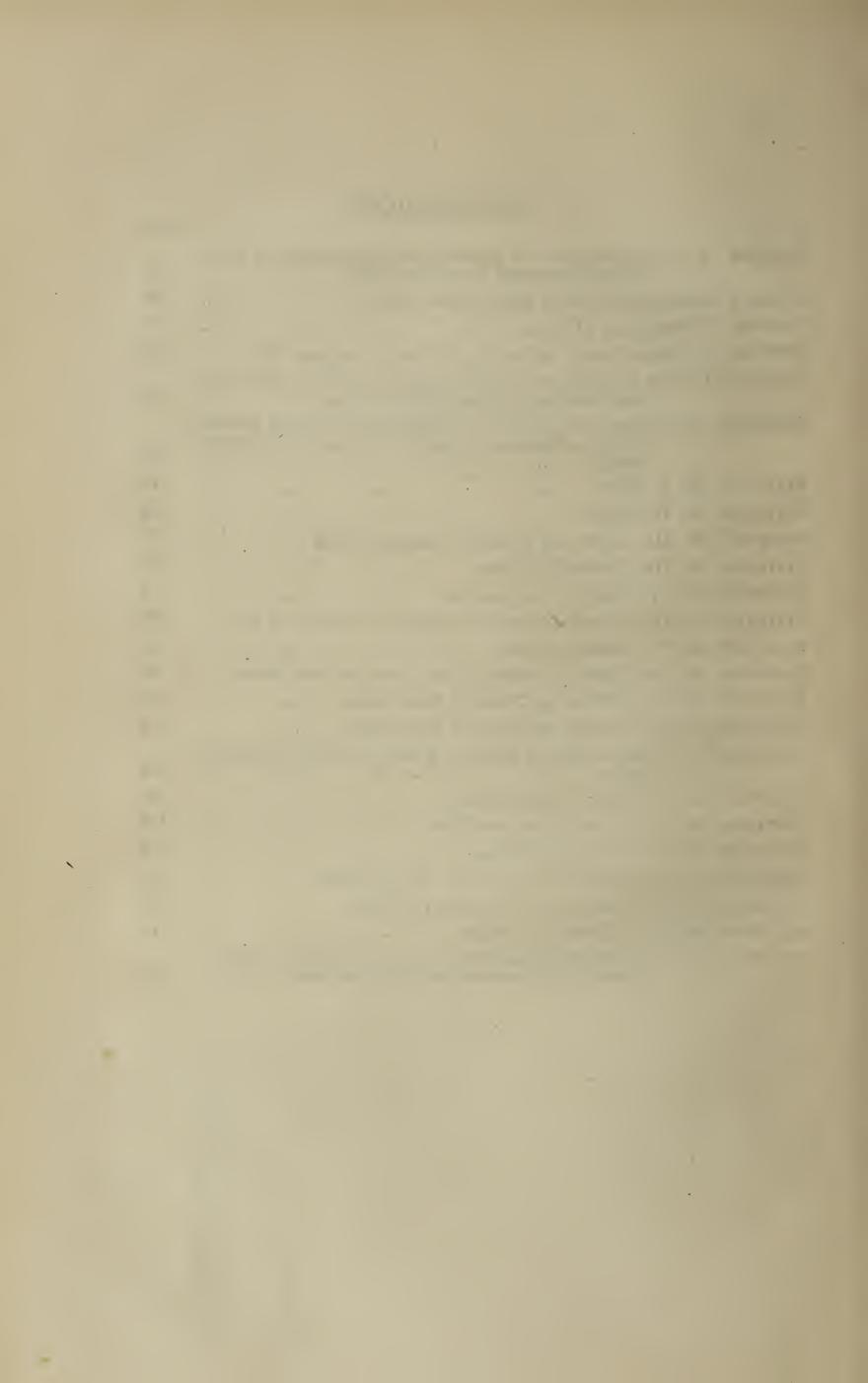
With deep regret I have to record the death of Mr. R. K. Sen, late Accountant of my office, who was compelled to retire owing to illness after having served Government for 30 years. He was an exceptionally able and conscientious worker.

E. BISSET, Lieut.-Col., I.M.S., Director of Public Health, Burma.



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APPENDIX A.

Narrative Progress Report of Estimates prepared and carried out by the Water and Sewerage Engineer for the Year 1927.

I,-WATER SUPPLY.

1. Insein.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 6,500 for sinking a 10-inch diameter tube well, Insein, was prepared, sanctioned and work completed.

The tube well was successful.

2. Mandalay Police Training School.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 6,935 for sinking 6-inch diameter tube well for Police Training School was prepared, sanctioned and work completed. The tube well was not successful.

3. Ma-ubin.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 2,239 for yield test on existing 6-inch diameter tube well supplying water to the town forwarded

to the President, Ma-ubin Municipality, for sanction.

4. Rangoon General Hospital.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 50,622 for improvements to water supply, General Hospital, Rangoon, was prepared and submitted to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, Burma, for sanction and allotment of funds.

5. Moulmein New Civil Station.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 23,619 for water supply to New Civil Station at Moulmein prepared and forwarded to the Executive Engineer, Amherst Division, for sanction.

6. New Mental Hospital, Tadagale.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 623 for experimental surface well for Mental Hospital water supply scheme

was prepared and sanctioned.

7. New Mental Hospital, Tadagale.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 9,087 for infiltration gallery, New Mental Hospital, Tadagale, was prepared and submitted to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, for Same was returned unsanctioned.

8. New Mental Hospital, Tadagale.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 33,000 for additional tube well with 10-inch strainer pipe was prepared,

sanctioned and work completed. The well was not successful.

9. Anglo-Vernacular High School, Insein.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 35,214 for water supply scheme, Anglo-Vernacular High School, Insein, was prepared, sanctioned and forwarded. The work is in progress.

10. Technical Institute, Insein.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 389 for providing 1½-inch Siemen's water meter at Students' Hostel,

Technical Institute, Insein. Work completed.

11. Agricultural College, Mandalay.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 549 for extension to existing tube well, Agricultural College, Mandalay, was

prepared, sanctioned and funded. The work is in progress.

12. Reformatory School, Insein.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,215 for proposed extension of water supply to the Assistant Principal and Teachers' Quarters, Reformatory School, Insein, was prepared and submitted to the Superintendent, Reformatory School, Insein. of Public Instruction administratively approved.

13. B Class Officers' Quarters, Lowis Road.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,810 for water supply to two B Class Officers' quarters in Lowis

Road and work is completed.

14. Windermere Park, Rangoon.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 841 for extension of water pipe to settling tank, lower area, Windermere Park, Rangoon, was prepared and sanctioned and work completed.

15, Rangoon University.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 15,000 for sinking three 6-inch diameter trial tube wells to the Rangoon University

Building Trust Estate on Prome Road. Work completed.

16. Military Police Lines, Mandalay.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,145 for providing meters on watermains to Military Police Lines, Mandalay. The work is in progress.

18. Rangoon University.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 5,000 for sinking a fourth 6-inch diameter tube well for Rangoon University Building Trust Estate on Prome Road, Rangoon, and work completed.

19. Anglo-Vernacular High School, Bassein.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 6,286 for water supply scheme, Anglo-Vernacular High School, Bassein, and work completed.

20. Technical Institute, Insein.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 4,664 for reconditioning and making reservoir sound at Technical Institute, Insein.

Work completed.

21. Minhla,—Estimate amounting to Rs. 9,135 for sinking a new 6-inch diameter tube well to augment the existing supply, Minhla, prepared and forwarded to Commissioner, Pegu Division, for disposal.

22. Leper Asylum, Mandalay.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 6,000 for sinking a 6-inch diameter tube well for the Leper Asylum, Mandalay, was prepared and forwarded to the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Burma, for disposal.

23. Windermere Park.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 221 for interconnecting the existing 6-inch cast iron watermain to the Port Commissioners' proposed 3-inch watermain, Windermere Park. Work

completed.

24. Bassein Central Jail.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 21,920 for sinking 6-inch tube well and installing pumping plant at Bassein Central Jail was prepared and forwarded to the Inspector-General of Prisons, Burma, for disposal,

25. Insein Central Jail.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 5,000 for sinking a new 6-inch tube well and making necessary connection between the new tube well and storage tank, Insein Central Jail, and work completed.

26. Rangoon University.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,15,860 for water distribution scheme, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

27. Rangoon University.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 37,803 for sinking three 12-inch diameter tube wells with strainers attached for the Rangoon University Building Trust. The work is in progress.

28. Thônzè.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 19,610 for Thônzè water supply was prepared and forwarded to President, Municipal Committee,

for disposal,

29. Madaya,—Estimate amounting to Rs, 10,254 for sinking a 6-inch tube well at Madaya was prepared and forwarded to Commissioner, Mandalay Division, for disposal.

30. Central Jail, Rangoon.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 803 for proposed water supply to Superintendent's quarters, Central Jail, Rangoon,

was prepared, sanctioned and funded and work completed;

31. Central Jail, Rangoon,—Estimate amounting to Rs. 757 for proposed water supply to Deputy Superintendent's quarters, Central Jail, Rangoon, was prepared, sanctioned and funded and work completed.

32. Kyaukpadaung.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 5,000 for survey of work scheme, Kyaukpadaung. The survey work is completed and estimate is under preparation.

33. Henzada.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 200 for survey work preparing a water supply scheme for the town of Henzada was

sanctioned and funded.

34. Pyawbwe.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 36,021 for constructing an infiltration gallery at Pyawbwe was prepared, sanctioned and funded.

35. Paungdè.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 5,040 for Paungdè water supply survey was prepared, sanctioned and funded. The work will be taken in hand as soon as other important work is completed.

36. Kyaikto.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 3,860 for Kyaikto water supply scheme survey work was prepared, sanctioned and funded. The

survey work is completed. Estimate is under preparation.

37. Mergui.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 4,000 for Mergui water supply scheme survey. The survey work is completed and estimate is under preparation.

Several estimates for surface wells supplies were examined and

reported on.

II.—SEWERAGE, SEWAGE DISPOSAL AND SANITATION SCHEMES.

1. Estimate amounting to Rs. 8,543 for sanitation accommodation at blocks for superior Europeans and Indians, New Mental Hospital, Tadagale. Work completed.

2. Estimate amounting to Rs. 3,228 for hot water installation, Hospital Block, male section, New Mental Hospital, Tadagale.

completed.

3. Estimate amounting to Rs. 2,118 for five-seated trough latrine for Public Works Department staff quarters, New Mental Hospital, Tadagale. Work completed.

4. Estimate amounting to Rs. 6,439 for trough closet latrine for the workmen at the New Mental Hospital, Tadagale. Work completed.

5. Estimate amounting to Rs. 6,170 for hot water installation to superior Europeans, Indian and Burmese quarters, New Mental Hospital, Tadagale. Work completed.

6. Estimate amounting to Rs. 12,814 for sanitation to additional accommodation at New Mental Hospital, Tadagale. Work completed.

7. Estimate amounting to Rs. 2,709 for temporary sewerage connection at extensions to Junior and Senior Electricians' quarters, New General Hospital, Canal Area, Rangoon. Work completed.

8. Estimate amounting to Rs. 628 for providing two lavatory basins to students' room attached to Post Mortem and Lecturer's Theatre, New

General Hospital. Work completed.

9. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,680 for providing plunge baths at Burmese Nurses' quarters, New Nursing Home, New General Hospital, was prepared and forwarded to the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals and returned unsanctioned.

10. Estimate amounting to Rs. 411 for providing hot water taps at bath-room at Burmese Nurses' quarters, New General Hospital. Work

completed.

11. Estimate amounting to Rs. 494 for providing sink in the Nurses' room, ground floor, Paying Patient Block, General Hospital, Rangoon. Work completed.

12. Estimate amounting to Rs. 5,159 for proposed five-seated latrine, trough latrine for use of visitors at basement floor, north-west annex, New General Hospital, Rangoon, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals for sanction.

13. Estimate amounting to Rs. 844 for single-seated latrine for servants attached to New Nurses' Home, General Hospital, Rangoon, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals for sanction.

14. Estimate amounting to 34,508 for sanitary installation, Gynæco-

logical Ward, Dufferin Hospital. The work is in progress.

15. Estimate amounting to Rs. 44,575 for hot water installation to all buildings in Dufferin Hospital, Rangoon, was prepared and submitted to the Superintending Engineer, Rangoon Circle, for sanction and allotment of funds.

16. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,62,715 for sewerage scheme including discharge main, collecting sump, pump-house and house sanitation and external water distribution, Dufferin Hospital, Rangoon.

The work is in progress.

17. Estimate amounting to Rs. 2,004 for temporary hot water installation, Gynæcological Ward, Dufferin Hospital. The work is in progress.

18. Estimate amounting to Rs. 531 for temporary hot water installation, main building, Dufferin Hospital, Rangoon. The work is

completed.

19. Estimate amounting to Rs. 15,293 for house sanitation to nine buildings, Group 4, Mingaladon Cantonment. Work completed.

20. Estimate amounting to Rs. 5,155 for house sanitation to Post and

Telegraph Building, Mingaladon. Work completed.

21. Estimate amounting to Rs. 6,221 for house sanitation to Police

Outpost Building, Mingaladon Cantonment. Work completed.

22. Estimate amounting to Rs. 5,056 for house sanitation, branch sewers, to 28 quarters for followers, Cantonment Conservancy Depôt. Worked completed.

23. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,824 for house sanitation and branch sewer to Jemadar's quarters, Electrical Branch, Ordnance, New

Cantonment, Mingaladon. Work completed.

24. Estimate amounting to Rs. 7,957 for sanitary installation to additional Inspector's quarters, C.I.D. Lines, Insein. Work completed.

25. Estimate amounting to Rs. 546 for sanitation to driver's and wiremen's quarters, lower area, Windermere Park. Work completed.

26. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,751 for sanitary accommodation for Public Works Department Road coolies, mechanics, sweepers, and coolies of sanitary branch. Work completed.

27. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,367 for quarters to mechanics,

cooly and sweepers, Windermere Park. Work completed.

28. Estimate amounting to Rs. 68,042 for internal sanitation extension to water distribution and sewerage scheme, Veterinary School, Insein. The work is in progress

29. Revised estimate amounting to Rs. 38,998 for sanitary installation to main building, Veterinary School, Insein. The work is in

progress.

30. Estimate amounting to Rs. 8,561 for mechanical ventilation for

Agricultural College, Mandalay. The work is in progress.

31. Estimate amounting to Rs. 14,825 for sanitation water supply for one Lecturer's quarters, one Technical Instructor's quarters, and two

Assistant Lecturers' quarters, one Building Instructor's quarters,

Technical Institute, Insein. Work completed.

32. Estimate amounting to Rs. 9,589 for proposed additions and alterations to sanitary installation at Pazundaung Police Station. Work completed.

33. Estimate amounting to Rs. 3,803 for sanitation to Sub-Inspectors' and Head Constables' quarters and cook-house for married constables at

Botatoung Police Station. Work completed.

34. Estimate amounting to Rs. 18,540 for sanitary installation, water supply, sewerage scheme, to the Cantonment Police Station. Work is in progress.

35. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,371 for proposed sanitary room for use of the Police Officers and Inspectors, Pazundaung Police Station,

The work is in progress.

36. Estimate amounting to Rs. 69,908 for sanitary installation, laboratory arrangement, water distribution and sewerage scheme to New Medical College, Rangoon. The work is in progress.

37. Estimate amounting Rs. 24,158 for gas installation to the New Medical College, Godwin Road, Rangoon, was prepared, sanctioned and

38. Estimate amounting to Rs. 2,44,384 for sanitation, water supply and sewerage scheme, Agricultural College, Mandalay, was prepared and submitted to Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, for sanction.

39. Estimate amounting to Rs. 52,052 for sanitary installation and sewerage scheme to Anglo-Vernacular High School, Insein. The work

is in progress.

40. Estimate amounting to Rs. 6,068 for sanitary installation to hostel to Anglo-Vernacular High School, Insein. The work is in progress.

41. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,49,055 for sanitation, water supply and sewerage scheme in Civil Hospital, Bassein, was prepared and

submitted to Chief Engineer for sanction.

42. Estimate amounting to Rs. 6,262 for hot water installation to Women and Children's Block, General Hospital, Mandalay, was prepared and submitted to Chief Engineer for sanction.

43. Estimate amounting to Rs. 33,615 for sanitation to 12 Officers'

quarters, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

44. Estimate amounting to Rs. 81,519 for sewerage scheme, Rangoon

The work is in progress.

45. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,78,371 for sanitation, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

46. Estimate amounting to Rs. 66,651 for sewage outfall works,

Rangoon University.

47. Estimate amounting to Rs. 80,729 for sewerage scheme, subsidiary sewers, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

48. Estimate amounting to Rs. 20,982 for sanitation to Judson

College Hostel, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

49. Estimate amounting to Rs. 49,595 for sanitation to University

College, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

50. Estimate amounting to Rs. 3,037 for internal sanitation to Resident Medical Officers' quarters, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

51. Estimate amounting to Rs. 4,763 for internal sanitation to 21 Nos. Judson College Houses, Rangoon University. The work is in

progress.

52. Estimate amounting to Rs. 7,388 for internal sanitation to 16 clerks' quarters, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

53. Estimate amounting to Rs. 7,270 for internal sanitation to four houses, single storey, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

- 54. Estimate amounting to Rs. 7,838 for sanitation, water supply and sewerage scheme, Warden's quarters, Yenangyaung, was prepared and submitted for sanction.
- 55. Estimate amounting to Rs. 585 for supplying and fixing additional laboratory tables and fittings at the Institute of Public Health, Theatre Road, Rangoon. The work is in progress.

56. Estimate amounting to Rs. 13,298 for sanitation, water supply and sewerage scheme to extension of Public Works Department Stores

yard, Rangoon.

57. Estimate amounting to Rs. 582 for providing pucca floors and drainage connection to existing servants' cook-houses attached to chemical laboratory, Stewart Road, Rangoon. The work is completed.

58. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,105 for proposed water closets for the use of clerks attached to joint Executive Officers, Public Works

Department, Stewart Road, Rangoon. The work is completed.

59. Estimate amounting to Rs. 639 for supplying and fixing laboratory tables and fittings to the proposed laboratory at the Institute of Public Health. Work completed.

60. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,848 for internal sanitation to Estate

Warder's quarters. The work is in progress.

61. Estimate amounting to Rs. 22,025 for internal sanitation to servants' village, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

62. Estimate amounting to Rs. 635-8-0 for sanitary installation to compounder's quarters, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

63. Estimate amounting to Rs. 635-8-0 for sanitary installations to Jemadar's quarters, Rangoon University. The work is in progress.

64. Estimate amounting to Rs. 929 for sanitary installation to additional Inspector's quarters, C.I.D., Insein. Work completed.

III.—BAZAARS.

1. Pakôkku.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 59,150 for constructing a bazaar was prepared and forwarded to the President, Municipal Committee, Pakôkku, for disposal.

2. Kawkareik.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 58,427 for constructing

cloth and miscellaneous goods bazaar at Kawkareik.

3. Hlègu. —Estimate amounting to Rs. 37,113 for constructing a piece goods bazaar at Hlègu was prepared and forwarded to the Chairman, District Council, Insein.

4. Myaungmya.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 37,704 for constructing a miscellaneous goods bazaar at Myaungmya was prepared and forwarded to the President, Municipal Committee, Myaungmya.

5. Gyobingauk.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 85,617 for cloth and miscellaneous bazaar, Gyobingauk, was prepared and forwarded to the

President, Municipal Committee, Gyobingauk.

6. Ma-ubin.—Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,56,747 for proposed bazaar buildings at Ma-ubin was prepared and forwarded to the President, Municipal Committee, Ma-ubin, for disposal.

IV,—DRAINAGE.

1. Estimate amounting to Rs. 1,139 for survey of drainage scheme, Taungdwingyi, was prepared and submitted to the President, Municipal Committee, Taungdwingyi.

2. Estimate amounting to Rs. 58,441 for Insein Drainage Scheme, outfall drain section, was prepared and submitted to the President, Municipal Committee, Insein. The work is in progress.

3. Estimate amounting to Rs. 2,566 for survey work of main outfall drain at Prome was prepared and sanctioned and funded. The work is in progress.

4. Estimate amounting to Rs. 457 for survey work for Syriam drainage scheme was prepared and sanctioned and funded. The survey

work is completed and estimate is under preparation.

5. Sandoway.—A scheme for drainage amounting to Rs. 14,691 was examined and returned to the Director of Public Health, duly approved.

V.—RECLAMATION.

1. Estimate amounting to Rs. 999 for survey work for reclamation of new extended area, Myitkyina, was prepared and submitted to President, Town Committee, Myitkyina.

VI - LAYOUTS.

Plan showing the proposed layout of Apinhnase Town, Bassein District, was prepared and submitted to the Commissioner, Irrawaddy Division, Bassein, through the Director of Public Health, Burma.

Several layout plans were submitted for opinion and returned.

A. J. HINGSTON,

Water and Sewerage Engineer, Public Works Department, Burma.

APPENDIX B.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PROVINCIAL PUBLIC HEALTH BOARD, BURMA, FOR THE YEAR 1927.

1. During the year under report, the Provincial Public Health Board appointed the Secretary, Education Department, and the Secretary, Local Government Department, as Joint Secretaries of the Board and the necessary amendments were made in the Rules relating to the constitution and functions, and in the business rules of the Board.

The six members elected by the Burma Legislative Council and the two members nominated by the Hon'ble the Minister for Education commenced their term of office in January 1927.

- 2. As in the previous year, there were three meetings of the Board. The number of projects considered by the Board at these meetings was 26 as against 30 in 1926. The total grants sanctioned during the year under report amounted to Rs. 3,81,397 as compared with Rs. 10,98,669 in the previous year. The decrease was mainly due to the fact that the schemes for which provision was made in the Public Health Budget did not progress as rapidly as was originally anticipated. A detailed statement of the grants sanctioned is appended to this report.
- 3. The Projects Sub-Committee of the Board held three meetings during the year and considered 17 projects, of which 9 were approved unconditionally, 4 were approved subject to certain conditions being fulfilled, 3 were rejected and one referred to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, for advice.
- 4. Besides the projects detailed in the statement appended to this Report, the Board had under consideration proposals for improving the water supply of. Paukkaung in the Prome District and that of Tharrawaddy Town and also a proposal to re-dig the Kan-U and Chit Po tanks in Myingyan Town. The first scheme was dropped as the inhabitants of Paukkaung were unwilling to pay a water rate and the District Council was not in a position to meet the cost of maintenance from its general revenues. A grant of Rs. 91,809 was authorised for the second scheme provided that the Tharrawaddy Municipal Committee could satisfy the Ministry of Education that it is in a position to meet the maintenance charges. The matter is still under correspondence. regards the third, it was decided not to make a grant, in view of the fact that a piped water supply is being provided in the Myingyan Municipality and the water could be conveyed by pipes to the neighbourhood of the tanks. The Board also decided to treat the improvements to the hill at Mergui, on which the Theingyi Pagoda stands, as part of the Mergui Sea Wall and Reclamation Scheme.
- 6. A sum of Rs. 9,50,000 allotted in the Public Health Department Budget for 1927-28 was at the disposal of the Board for contributions to local bodies for public health purposes but the amount was subsequently reduced to Rs. 7,02,785.

Statement showing Grants sanctioned by the Provincial Public Health Board during the year 1927.

Name of Project.	Amount sanctioned.	Remarks.
	Rs.	
 Sinking 23 wells in the Sandoway District Yegyi Water Supply Scheme Construction of an infiltration gallery in connection with the Pyawbwe Water Supply 	2,875 3,000 36,000	}
Scheme. 4. Sandoway Drainage Scheme 5. Jungle clearing and maintenance of a mosquito brigade at Mawlaik.	12,691 1,800	
6. Digging surface wells in Bassein Town7. Sinking two tube wells at Sitkwin and Othegon in the Tharrawaddy District.	10,000 19,000	-
8. Contour survey of the Bhamo Lakes in connection with anti-malarial measures.9. Sinking a tube well at Insein	917 4,500	
10. Preliminary survey in connection with the Paungdè Water Supply Scheme. 11. Kalemyo Drainage Scheme	5,040 32,720	
 12. Construction of a well in the bazaar at Myebôn in the Kyaukpyu District. 13. Installation of a Bathing System and Gas Chamber at the Port Health Station, Ran- 	3,513	
goon. 14. Construction of masonry wells in the Thatôn District.	19,679	
15. Anti-malarial measures at Akyab 16. Myingyan Drainage Scheme 17. Contribution to the British Social Hygiene Council.	4,000 21,960 2,662	
18. Myingyan Water Supply Scheme Total	2,00,600 3,81,397	

7. The following schemes sanctioned in the previous year and the year under report, respectively, were completed during the year under report:—

Scheme.	Estimate cost.	Completed cost.		
1. Clinic and Child Welfare Centre at Mônywa.	Rs. 5,500	Rs. 7,739		
2. Yegyi Water Supply Scheme	3,000	3,003	12	0

APPENDIX C.

Sanitation of Mines.

A.—BURMA CORPORATION, NAMTU.

During the year the Asiatic Hospital was visited by His Excellency Sir Harcourt Butler, G.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.C.S., who, after a complete tour of inspection, remarked on the improvements which had been effected since he opened the Hospital in 1923.

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Generally speaking the health of the Corporation employees throughout the year has been good. Apart from an isolated case of cholera, which recovered, there was no outbreak of epidemic diseases.

Construction.

The dispensary in Bawdwin was completely re-organised. We have now a hospital with 14 beds and a well-equipped emergency operating room. This enables us to detain and treat efficiently patients who would otherwise have to be treated as out-patients. All serious cases of course are evacuated to Namtu Hospital by ambulance.

Infectious Diseases—Their Prevention and Treatment.

Plague.—No cases occurred.

Cholera.—One sporadic case occurred at Namyao. The patient recovered. All precautions were taken and no fresh case occurred.

Relapsing Fever.—Twenty-four cases occurred with no deaths. As usual these occurred amongst Chinese coolies who had just come from Yünnan. As we are alive to the possibility of these coolies being infected special precautions are taken each year and there is little chance of this disease becoming epidemic.

Typhoid.—Twenty-one cases occurred with 3 deaths.

Small-pox.—No cases occurred. During the year 32 people were vaccinated.

Special Diseases.

Rabies.—No case.

One case of dog bite was sent to the Pasteur Institute for treatment. As usual numerous dogs were shot during the year as a precaution against rabies.

Leprosy.—No case.

Beri-beri.—One case.

Epidemic Dropsy.—No case.

Tuberculosis.—Ninety-four cases with 43 deaths.

Ankylostomiasis.—Fourteen cases. There is no indication that the mine is the source of infection. Quite often it is discovered in the course of routine examination amongst patients admitted for other complaints such as malaria. All patients are given a thorough course of treatment and not discharged from hospital until we are satisfied they are non-infective.

Malaria.—Throughout the rains special precautions are taken with a view to prevention of mosquito breeding. Our efforts are directed

mainly towards drainage and persistent jungle clearing.

Schistosomiasis Japonicum.—No cases were observed throughout the year although examinations were carried out practically as a routine.

Industrial Diseases.

Plumbism.—Fifty-one cases occurred.

One fatal case of lead encephalitis occurred. All the others were mild cases and responded very quickly to treatment.

Miners' Phthisis.—No case.

Workmen's Compensation Act.

Out of the total of 563 accidents under this heading only 110 cases came under the Government category of serious, *i.e.* incapacitated for 20 days or more. Of the remainder only 83 came under the Insurance Act category for compensation in respect of pay, etc., *i.e.* incapacitated for 10 days or more. Thus only 193 cases qualified for compensation.

Public Health and Sanitation.

Water Supply.—This has been ample and of good quality.

Food Supply.—Samples of milk are frequently taken for analysis from licensed vendors and whenever necessary these men are prosecuted.

All animals for slaughter are examined by the Sanitary Inspectors both before and after slaughter. In cases of doubt appropriate portions

of the carcase are brought to me for a final opinion.

All foodstuffs exposed for sale in the bazaars are frequently inspected by the Sanitary Inspectors and condemned if necessary.

Namyao.—New barracks and a new bazaar have been built. Also

water supply laid on by pipe line.

A Sanitary Inspector is resident there and regularly inspects Mansam

Falls and Man-Mak-Long and Nahsy areas.

Conservancy.—Two water carriage latrines were built in Panghai and one in Ehaung. These give no trouble.

B.—MINES IN MERGUI DISTRICT.

The population of the mining area of the Thabawleik Tin Dredging Company is about 1,000. The Company employs a labour force of 200, composed of various nationalities, mostly Chinese The quarters of the superior staff have been well laid out with small gardens attached. The cooly quarters are temporary structures of mat and bamboo as the labour must move with the dredge; but they are reported to be well-made and well-drained. Rice is received from Mergui once a fortnight and stored properly; other foodstuffs are obtained from the shops near the cooly lines. Registration of births and deaths has been done by the Company since 1926, vaccination is regularly carried out and the population is well protected. This Company employs a registered medical practitioner. There are three other Tin Dredging Companies in the neighbourhood. The Pakchoung Mines in the Palaw Township, of which there are several, are all worked on the ground sluicing system and consequently employ only a small amount of labour. The prevailing diseases in all these mining areas are malaria and intestinal complaints. Except for the Thabawleik Tin Dredging Company, none employees a medical officer and it has been suggested that the small. mining companies should unite to employ one for a group of mines.

C.—MINES IN TAVOY DISTRICT.

The mining camps at Hermyingyi, Taungpilla and Pa-an were inspected by the District Health Officer, Tavoy. The Hermyingyi mining camp has a population of 1,500, of which 860 are coolies of different races. The camp is said to be very congested. There is a store in which articles of diet are stored, vegetables are obtained from the adjacent villages and meat from Tavoy town. There is a piped water supply. Conservancy is reported to be well managed. Night-soil is incinerated. The mine hospital, situated in the middle of the camp, is in charge of a compounder who attends trivial ailments, the serious cases being sent to Tavoy Civil Hospital.

The other two mines noted by the District Health Officer are small units on a par with several others in the district employing a labour force of about 230 coolies, who live in bamboo sheds. The water supply of the first is from two wells and the other from a spring some two miles away from the camp. The health of these camps was reported to be good.

D.—MOGOK RUBY MINES AREA.

The average daily population at work in the Burma Ruby Mines Co., Ltd., was 387 including 9 Europeans. The company provides accommodation for the superior staff in sanitary areas, but there are no regular cooly lines and most of the coolies live in the town and villages around. The work of the mines does not involve any special danger to the health of employees. Plague was prevalent in the town during the year and a certain number of coolies were attacked. Measures were taken to prevent the spread of the epidemic in the mines area.

APPENDIX D.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRANSACTIONS OF THE PORT HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1927.

2. Inspection of In-coming Vessels.—Vessels from Indian and foreign ports numbered 1,455 or 3 more than 1926, and they carried 134,608 members of crew and 386,992 passengers, 16,958 more than in 1926.

Of the above vessels 1,041 were from Indian ports and 414 from foreign ports against 1,059 and 379 in 1926.

Vessels Visited.—(a) Sea-going.—These numbered 1,342 showing an increase on 1926 of 29. They carried 126,378 members of crew and 372,418 passengers, making a total of 498,796 persons inspected. The total number of all persons inspected including out-going is 577,705.

Vessels Not Visited—(b) Burma Coastal Vessels.—Under General Department Notification No. 34, dated the 25th March 1924, the inspection of 113 vessels were discontinued and were reported to have carried 8,230 members of crew and 14,574 passengers.

3. Regulations under which Vessels were Visited.—(A) General Department Notification No. 73, dated the 18th March 1917 (Parts I to VII). Forty vessels came under this regulation and reported.

Infectious Diseases.—Twenty-seven cases of infectious diseases (6 less than in 1926 were reported by Commanders of 23 vessels) out of which 3 buried at sea, 3 left at other ports and 3 removed to Contagious Diseases Hospital. The other cases reported included 1 case of small-pox (on 1 vessel), 6 cases of chicken-pox (on 6 vessels), 7 cases of measles (on 5 vessels), 2 cases of mumps (on 2 vessels), 1 case of plague (on 1 vessel) and 1 case of cerebro-spinal meningitis (on 1 vessel). Out of these cases, 1 case of plague was landed at Bassein and the remaining cases were removed to hospitals in Rangoon. On the above vessels, 5 more infectious cases were detected at the medical inspection, i.e. 1 case of cholera, 2 cases of small-pox, 1 case of chicken-pox and 1 case of measles.

- (II) Eighteen deaths from non-infectious diseases were reported on 17 vessels.
- (B) Vaccination Act, 1909.—Vessels inspected under this Act were 415 in number. On 23 of these vessels, 25 cases of infectious diseases were detected during the inspection, viz. 7 cases of small-pox, 14 cases of chicken-pox, 2 cases of measles, 1 case of mumps, 1 case of cerebro-spnal meningitis, and these were removed to hospitals in Rangoon.
- (C) The number of vessels inspected under Notification No. 229, dated 2nd September 1919, but not liable to inspection under one of the foregoing, comprised 887 cargo and passenger vassels. Of these 148 were oil steamers of the Oil Companies which moored below Hastings shoal and were inspected by the Works Doctors who sent their reports to this office. On 10 of these vessels, 3 cases of small-pox, 3 cases of chicken-pox and 4 cases of measles were detected and sent to hospitals in Rangoon.

- 4. Measures.—As a result of the visits paid under the regulations referred to in paragraph 2, the following measures were carried out:—
- (1) Inspection.—The number of passengers inspected were 359,820 as follows:—

Under Vaccination Act 301,895 Under Vaccination Act (adjudged as non-labourers) 32,679 Under Influenza Notification ... 25,246

The following were the results of these measures:—

(a) Infectious Cases Reported and Detected aggregated 67, viz. plague 1, cholera 10, small-pox 13, chicken-pox 24, measles 14, mumps 3, cerebro-spinal meningitis 2. Out of these, 40 were detected under vaccination and influenza notifications.

(b) Inflamed and Enlarged Glands.—Five cases were sent for

examination of gland tissue and no plague bacilli were found.

(c) Suspects sent to Hospitals for observation for temperature,

diarrhœa and undefined skin rashes numbered 1,972.

(d) Out of the 1,972 cases sent for observation, 12 cases of pneumonia, 2 cases dengue and 1 case influenza developed. Twelve

lepers and 21 cripples were detected during inspection.

(2) Disinfection (a) of the effects of 339 crew and 2,431 passengers of infected vessels was carried out. (b) Disinfection of 393 vessels was carried out, of which 67 were washed down with disinfectant solution for infectious diseases.

(3) Vaccination.—Labourers and crew numbering 301,895 and 48,736 respectively were inspected for the presence of good marks of vaccination, of the former 41,460 and of the latter 893 were vaccinated on arrival by the Corporation vaccinators, making a total of 42,353.

(4) Segregation,—One plague-infected vessel arrived from Bassein, The crew were inoculated and the vessel fumigated. The crew kept

under surveillance on board.

The Port Health Camp was not maintained during the year.

(5) Vessels Visited. (a) Riverine,—Six vessels with 194 crew and 185 passengers reported the occurrence of infectious or suspicious diseases and underwent the usual measures, 4 for cholera and 2 for chicken-pox.

(6) Vessels in Harbour.—Eighteen vessels with 821 crew underwent disinfection measures, 7 for cholera, 4 for small-pox, 4 for chicken-pox,

1 for mumps and 2 ordinary deaths.

(7) Inspection of Out-going Vessels.—Proceeding to port beyond India

numbered 538 or 4 more than 1926.

All the 36,883 Asiatic and African members of crew and 24,925 deck passengers of these vessels had their effects disinfected and 10,870 crew and 6,231 passengers including Europeans were inspected. Three thousand three hundred and forty-seven baggage coolies were inspected and their body clothes and uniforms disinfected prior to their handling passengers' luggage. Temperatures tested on 417 crew and passengers and 141 were found normal while 203 with fever were allowed to embark on the Commander's responsibility. One hundred and thirty-one passes were given to relatives of passengers to see them off.

Results.—One case of cholera, 1 case of chicken-pox, 1 case of measles and 70 cases of suspicious rise of temperature were detained

and sent to hospitals for treatment and observation.

No case of plague is known to have developed among the crew or passengers of these vessels on their outward voyages and no case of rat-plague was reported.

(8) Inspection of Measures to Prevent Ingress of Rats into Vessels at

wharves was frequently carried out.

(9) New Members of Crew Inspected prior to Signing on the Ships' Articles were 3,829, of these 3,697 were passed fit and 132 were rejected, 5 for varicose veins, 2 hydrocele, 47 gonorrhoea, 6 chancre, 1 phymosis, 13 hernia, 23 ringworm, 3 ulcer, 12 scabies, 1 syphilis, 13 poor physique, 2 fever, 1 orchitis, 1 enlarged glands, 1 synovitis and 1 skin disease.

Fumigation of Vessels. -(a) Two steamers were fumigated on account of plague-infection. (b) At agents' request, 18 vessels were fumigated while empty to comply with the measures in force at port

of destination.

Fend-off Certificates were requested by agents of several steamers. Action was taken to see that the requirements were carried out.

Miscellaneous Transactions and Remarks,

Examination of Port Commissioners' Officers and Employees.—Examination was carried out on 67 candidates and all were declared

physically fit.

Infectious diseases diagnosed among the employees of the Port Commissioners' Establishment included 3 cases of cholera, 5 cases of chicken-pox, 3 cases of measles, 26 cases of mumps, 472 cases of dengue, 213 cases of influenza, 2 cases of enteric and 4 cases of small-pox (outsiders).

Port Commissioners' Dispensary.—The dispensary was opened in 1921, it is staffed as in 1923 with an addition of 1 more compounder

from 4th July 1926.

The daily average attendance was 125'6 making a total of 39,308. Sanitation of Port Commissioners' Foreshore.—The sanitation of the port area was undertaken by the Port Health Officer. The Port Commissioners supplied the following staff:-

Sanitary Inspector Assistant Sanitary Sub-Assistant Sani	Inspector	s ector	•••	1 2 1
Clerk .	•••	•••	•••	1.
Jemadars	• • •	•••	•••	2
Maistries	• • •	•••	• • •	6
Conservancy			• • •	56
Rat smoking		• • •	***	6
Rat trapping	•••	• • •		6
General cleaning	• • •	• • •	•••	8
Office washing	•••	• • •	• • •	4

Very useful work has been done and the sanitation of the Port

Commissioners' area has improved considerably.

Vaccination.—The whole of the Port Commissioners' employees were examined for vaccination and 3,254 passengers were vaccinated as c ompared with 2,725 in 1926.

Ratting and trapping (220 traps) has given 22,228 rats as follows:—

7,473 Number of rats destroyed by smoking 14,755 Number of rats destroyed by trapping 30,595 Rat holes destroyed

Rat Destruction in Port Commissioners' Area.—The system is the same as in 1921.

Port Health Employees and Port Health Police.—Sixty-four employees and 24 constables reported sick.

The disinfecting stoves were closed for 721 hours. Non-infectious diseases dealt with numbered 5,101.

Port Health Staff.—I have much pleasure in recording the good

services rendered by my staff.

Special Remarks.—I should like to thank the undernoted kind-hearted gentlemen for supplying me with malted milk so that all sick were able to get a cup of milk before being sent to hospitals:—

Raja Ramanath Reddiar. Mr. T. C. Barnabas, K.I.H.

Mr. Hurry Krishna Pillai, M.B.E., M.R,A.S.

Mr. Chan Chor Khine, M.L.C.

C. G. CROW,
Port Health Officer, Rangoon.

RANGOON, 12th March 1928.

Table No. I.—Statement showing In-coming Sea-going Vessels arrived during the year ending the 31st December 1927.

Total,		Mumber of crew.	11,148 11,629 12,812 11,109 10,467 10,467 10,678 11,878 11,987 11,987	134,608
To	* S	Mumber of vessel	117 134 140 123 119 112 112 124 124 123	1,455
		Total.	1,698 1,644 3,407 2,372 1,831 1,151 1,151 1,516 2,096 3,385 1,861	25,906
	Passengers.	. strito 🚉	76 93 87 87 87 141 110 43 43	905
Ports.		B Boys.	108 74 139 165 67 87 87 87 129 130 82	1,152
From Foreign 1	Number of	Females,	366 271 995 324 220 220 179 179 512 334	19,488 4,364
From		E Males.	1,148 2,180 1,796 1,796 1,527 1,527 2,269 2,269 2,010 1,397	
		S Zumber of crew.	2,703 2,441 2,4621 2,747 3,309 2,841 3,363 3,363 2,768	37,989
		elsesev do radmuN &	29 46 30 30 30 33 30 30 30 30 30 30 30 30 30	414
•		.f.cto.f. 😇	27,608 32,665 24,954 20,150 28,604 26,072 21,010 20,621 23,297 31,969 60,758	361,086
	gers.	G Girls.	484 645 522 710 576 445 597 824 644	6,971
orts.	of Passengers.	© Boy's.	449 570 485 597 718 618 466 463 499 605 836 676	6,982
From Indian Ports	Number o	G Females.	2,388 2,384 2,145 1,981 2,767 1,747 1,646 2,065 3,128 3,128	27,167
From		£ Males.	24,687 29,066 21,771 17,050 24,412 22,571 18,352 18,089 20,187 28,286 55,970 39,525	319,966
		⊗ Number of crew.	8,445 8,188 8,191 8,191 8,147 8,060 7,158 6,773 7,547 7,547 7,837 8,919 8,839	96,619
		2 Number of vessels.	%88 888 87 75 75 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87 87	1,041
				:
		Month.		Total
			January February March April May June July August September October November	

TABLE NO. I.—Statement showing In-coming Sea-going Vessels arrived during the year ending the 31st December 1927—concld.

	Disinfection.	sinfection.	sinfection.	sinfection.	Effects of	Bassengers.	319 226 100 85 535 173 168 362 307	2,431													
					sinfectio	sinfectio	sinfectio	Effe	(32) Crew.	20 111 41 19	339										
	Ω		G Vessels.	33 33 33 33 33 33 33 33 33 33	393																
		Passengers.	S Vaccinated on wharf.	3,176 3,972 3,106 2,144 3,019 2,910 3,069 2,714 4,359 4,359	41,460																
Medical inspection and observation.	For vaccination.	Passe	S Found protected.	19,625 23,858 16,829 13,239 19,473 18,400 14,115 16,203 23,237 48,051 33,153	260,435																
on and o	For vac	Crew.	S Vaccinated on wharf.	97 184 298 130 97 10 34 7 10 13 8	893																
.l inspecti		Cre	Found protected.	4,170 3,834 3,496 3,800 3,905 3,437 3,437 4,258 4,700 4,700	47,843																
Medica	erature.		2 Sick.	91 117 157 157 123 239 208 103 162 196 142 307 186	2,031																
	For temperature.		Hested.	101 149 199 145 267 231 120 178 208 152 339 209	2,298																
	Total inspected.		Passengers.	26,444 31,692 25,938 20,126 27,336 26,223 20,743 20,698 23,717 32,661 61,805	359,820																
			S Crew.	9,273 9,934 10,997 9,327 8,907 8,767 8,767 8,739 9,404 9,712 9,558	111,302																
			,lstoT 🖁	29,306 34,309 22,322 30,435 27,966 22,137 25,393 35,020 64,143 45,239	386,992 111,302																
	sengers.		2 Cirls.	560 696 646 609 771 630 488 466 643 738 934 692	7,873																
Total.	Number of pass	Number of passengers.	Number of pass	Number of pas	Number of pas	Number of pas	Number of pas	Number of pas	Number of pas	Number of pas	Number of pass	Number of pass	Number of pas		S Boys.	557 624 624 762 785 705 510 503 586 734 966 758	8,134				
																		Numb		Eemales.	2,355 2,305 2,305 2,984 2,983 3,657 2,867 2,867
			Males.	25,835 30,314 23,951 18,846 25,895 24,098 19,268 19,268 19,343 21,841 30,555 58,586 40,922	339,454																
		, , , , , , ,			:																
		th.			Total																
		Month	· ·	January February March May June July August September October November December																	

No. II.—Statement showing the amount of work done in connection with Out-going Vessels bound for Ports beyond India

during the year ending the 31st December 1927.

on.	,	S Cases detained.	13 6 2 3 3 6 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9	73														
Results of Inspection.	Temperatures	Allowed on medical certificate or at Commander's request.	22 52 52 52 52 52 52 52 52 52 52 52 52 5	203														
ults of	Tem	S Normal.	22 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	141														
Res		G.Tested.	10 20 32 30 45 45 45 25 25 25	417														
	6	Bakkake coolies.	266 245 411 337 315 291 268 268 266 210 223 301	3,347														
	ទារវថ្ម	Passes to relatives of friends.	8 11 8 1 5 1 8 1 8 1 9 1 9 1 9 1 9 1 9 1 9 1 9 1 9	131														
,	•	.IntoT.	1,336 1,336 726 726 434 263 281 378 378 312 488	6,231														
	gers.	Girls.	10 28 78 78 60 65 65 14 17 17 17 18 18 19 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	391														
	n Passengers.	E Boys.	21 22 23 25 23 25 25 26 26	398														
	Saloon	E Females.	165 199 582 240 200 141 63 110 100 79	2,093														
Inspection.		J. Males.	250 291 598 358 358 393 239 163 177 202 196 201 201	3,349														
Shore Ins		S European crew.	1,081 1,870 1,870 1,030 883 785 557 853 668 745 861	10,870														
		S Total.	1,191 1,502 2,5313 2,5313 2,531 2,232 1,568 1,188 2,499	24,925														
	Deck Passengers.							3 Girls.	22 23 23 75 90 101 76 81 88 80 67 67	739								
																© Boys.	16 31 92 130 129 76 84 58 59 17 17	815
																Decl	Decl	Deck
		G Males.	1,093 1,348 1,906 1,906 2,799 2,185 1,923 1,980 1,283 1,078 2,194	21,335														
		S. Asiatic crew.	2,601 3,444 3,4446 3,333 2,241 2,867 2,867 3,395 3,395 3,395	36,883														
		S Number of vessels.	35 25 25 25 25 25 36 36 44 44 44 44 46 40 36 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40	538														
				:														
		Month.	January February March April May June July August September October November December	Total														

II.—Statement showing the amount of work done in connection with Out-going Vessels bound for Ports beyond India TABLE NO.

a Inaia	Apparatus at	Amount realized.	Rs. 565 565 330 330 330 1,350 1,385	6,010
bound jor Ports beyond India	yton	G Time spent.	H. M. 26 15 40 0 14 15 12 0 12 0 6 0 19 0 22 30	165 0
t Jor For	with	Sulphur consumed.	1bs. 920 1,220 365 550 460 1,260 1,260	6,585
ponna	Fumigation	(34) Vessels.	2 .6.1 .5.1 .1.1.6.4	18
essets		Boxes.	620 1,165 1,100 689 827 1,037 761 571 754 752 857 956	10,089
Out-going vessels 1927—concld.	ection.	Baggage coolies.	266 245 411 337 315 291 268 266 210 223 301	3,347
	Disinfection	Boots and shoes.	676 850 1,004 877 576 284 407 270 449 459 354 615	6,821
31st December		S Asiatic crew and deck passengers.	3,792 4,510 6,759 5,491 6,593 5,772 5,151 4,890 4,890 4,344 4,013 5,894	61,808
31st December		Hours the store open and g closed.	92 50 73 65 65 65 65 65 73 73 73 73 74 85	721
0.5	Disposal of Sick.	Bassengers' Residence.		
k done nding		S Contagious Diseases Hospital.	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	8
year e	Dispo	Municipal Observation S Hospital.	044200V04	. 65
snowing the amount of work aone in during the year ending the		Givil General Hospital.		N
the an duri		Fever and other ailments.	0442500000000	70
811102.0	ses.	S Chicken-powi	:: ::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::	1
11.—Statement sno	Diseases.	Z Measles.	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	
		(21) Cholera.	: : : : : : : : : :	
				:
TABLE NO.		Month.	January February March April May June July August September October November	Total

TABLE NO. III.—Statement showing the Infectious and other diseases reported and detected on In-coming Sea-going and Riverine Vessels during the year ending the 31st December 1927.

	Remarks,			* Burma Railway Hospital 1 British Station Hospital 2 Indian Station Hospital 2 Indo-Burma Medical Hall 3 Jail Hospital 3 Barr Street Police Station 3	
	Total.			20 : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	30
ses.		left at other ports	(22)	::::::::	4
Corpses.	.8	Buried by relative	(27)	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	1
	λ.	Rangoon Mortuar	(20)	- :0:::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::	6
		Burled at sea.	(61)	:::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::	16
ŕ		Total.	(18)	1,572 1,572	2,055
-	·s	Left at other Ports	(17)	طم : ط : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	11
		Left on Board.	(16)	1: 1: 1: 1: 1: 1: 1: 1: 1: 1: 1: 1: 1: 1	159
cases.		Residence.	(15)	11293:::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::	134
Disposal of cases.		Other Hospitals,	(14)		12*
Dispos	Hospitals.	Millitary.	(13)		6
		Rangoon General Hospital,	(12)	:::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::	70
		Observation.	(11)	1,555	1,582
		Contagious Diseases.	(10)		78
ort.		Cases.	6)	10,4 ru : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	21
In Port.	·s	Number of vessels	(8)	:r,44 :4 : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	18
rine.		Cases.	(2)	:4:0:::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::	7
. Riverine.	*s	Number of vessel	(9)	:	9
	1=	Detected.	(5)	:: 12 118 118 12 1254 125 1254 125 :: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	1,824
ing.	Cases.	Reported.	(4)	187: 11. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.	233
Sea-going.		Total.	(3)	1,572 1,572 1,572 1,572 1,572 1,572 1,572	2,057
6	·s	Number of vessel	(2)	171120 : 2 - 2 : : : : 7	75
1		Dișcases.	(1)	Plague Cholera Small-pox Chicken-pox Measles Mumps Typhoid Cerebro-spinal meningitis. Influenza Dengue Suspicious illness Ordinary illness Leprosy Enlarged Glands	Total

APPENDIX E.

List showing the number of copies of Publications Distributed from the Hygiene Publicity Bureau during 1927.

Public Health Series.

	1		1
	Number of		Number of
Title of the Publications.	the Publications.	Languages.	copies distributed:
	Cations.		distributed.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
·			
Care of Infants	A	In Burmese	5,480
Babies' Food	В	Do.	5,480
Babies' Language	C	Do.	5,280
Babies' Development	D	Do.	5,180
Why do Babies Cry?	E	Do.	4,755
Small-pox, Cholera and Plague	1	Do.	9,196-
Small-pox and Vaccination	2 3 4	Do.	7,150
Malaria and how to prevent it Note on Hygiene	3	Do. Do.	7,287
An Outline of a Tally on Come of Pobics	5	Do.	44,991 4,985
The Village Well	6	In English	5,359
Do	6A	In Burmese	7,375
The Careless Boatman	7	In English and	5,005
		Burmese.	
The Wicked Nat (Plague)	8	In Burmese	11,396
Do	8A	In English	51
Facts about Venereal Disease (for men)	9	Do.	5,886
Do	9A	In Burmese	6,237
Prophylactic Inoculation against Cholera	10	In English	6,731
Do Feeding of Children	10A 11	In Burmese Do.	6,796
Facts about Venereal Disease (for women)	12	To Element's 1.	4,575
Do.	13	In Dumman	4,016
Duties of Parents how to keep Babies Well	14	Do.	5,580
Hints on Sickness of Babies	15	Do.	5,631
Hook-worm Disease	16	In English	4,978
Do	17	In Burmese	5,396
Leprosy	18	In English	3,879
Do	19	In Burmese	5,897
Consumption	20	In English	4,750
Do	21	In Burmese	7,076
A Dialogue on Plague	22 23	In English	8,483
Do Cholera and its Preventive Measures	23	In Burmese Do	17,847
Happiness destroyed or the Story of the	25	In English	14,073 4,702
Blind Boy and the Ugly Girl (Small-pox		in English	7,702
and its prevention).			
Do	2 6	In Burmese	11,407
Flies	27	In English	4,980
Do	28	In Burmese	7,414
Carried over			
Carried over	•••	•••	•••

Public Health Series.

				1
Title of the Publications.		Number of the Publi- cations.	Languages.	Number of copies distributed.
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)
•				
Brought forward	•••	•••	•••	•••
Blindness amongst Babies		2 9	In English	4,099
Do	•••	30	In Burmese	4,957
Malaria and Mosquitoes	•••	31 32	In English In Burmese	4,978 11,11 5
Mosquitoes	•••	33	In English	4,783
Ďo. ···	•••	34	In Burmese	6,503
Vaccination and Inoculation	•••	35	Do. In English	11,531 4,127
Antenatal Care of Confinement Do	•••	36 37	In English In Burmese	9,190
Sanitation of Fairs and Pagoda Festivals		38	In English	3,951
Do	•••	39	In Burmese	7,936
Village Sanitation	•••	40 41	In English In Burmese	6,094 27 ,622
Do Prevention of Influenza		42	Do	5,308
Do ···		43	In English	4,479
Rabies	•••	44	Do. In Burmese	4,380 4,760
Do ···	•••	45 46	In English	4,079
Dysentery	•••	47	In Burmese	7,447
Prevention is better than Cure (Plague a	and	48	Do.	11,203
Evacuation).	ria)	49	Do.	9,104
One of the Enemies of Mankind (Malar Dangers of Shallow Well	•••	50	Do.	30,765
Measles and its Prevention	•••	51	In English	3,879
Do	•••	52	In Burmese Do.	8,163 7, 2 96
A Lesson on Consumption A Lesson on Malaria	•••	53 54	Do.	8,798
A Wise Collegian. Flies and Commun		55	Do. ,	10,813
able Diseases.			D.	24.010
Notes on Personal Hygiene	•••	56 57	Do. In English	34,819 5,153
The Dangers of Small-pox Do	•••	58	In Burmese	10,696
A Lesson on Microbes	•••	59	Do.	7,703
The Story of Maung Maik the Leper	•••	60	Do. In English	7,054 3,777
Child Welfare Do	•••	61 62	In Burmese	5,958
A Few Useful Hints	•••	63	Do.	4,477
A Few more Facts about Leprosy	•••	64	Do.	4,677
Facts about Respiratory Diseases	•••	65 66	Do. Do.	4,678 4,67 6
Evil of Opium Typhoid Fever and its Prevention	•••	67	Do.	4,721
The Abuse of Alcohol	•••	68	In English	3,276
Do	•••	69 70	In Burmese In English	3,101 3,257
Trachoma: its nature, etc	•••	70	In English In Burmese	3,051
An Open Letter to the Parents of Sch		72	In English	3,687
Children. A Topic on the Medi	cal		1.	
Inspection of School Children. Do.		73	In Burmese	46,027
What Children should know. A Talk	on	74	In English	3,524
Opium Habit.		75	In Down	2.001
Do	•••	75	In Burmese	3,021
Carried over	•••		•••	•••
	7	1		<u> </u>

Public Health Series—concld.

	4		
Title of the Publications.	Number of the Publica- tions.	Languages.	Number of copies distributed.
Brought forward			
1 111	76	In English	21,310
What Youngmen should know	77	In English In Burmese	3,001
Do A Dialogue on Cholera	78	In English	3,001
A Dialogue on Cholera	79	In Burmese	
The Village Well or the Story of Maung Lu	80	Iu English	
Byo and Ma Saw May the School Mistress.			
The Village Well or the Story of Maung Lu	81	In Burmese	•••
Byo and Ma Saw May the School Mistress.	0.0	w wa 11 1	
Yaws	82	In English	•••
Do	83 84	In Burmese	•••
A Wise Collegian	85	In English	
Note on Personal Hygiene	86	Do	•••
Influenza	87	In Burmese	
Do		111 1541111000 111	
Total			7,02,553
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Public Hea	lth Cards.		
	1	1	
and David and	1	In English	4,826
Prevention of Blindness amongst Boys and	1	In English	4,020
Girls.	2	In Burmese	7,921
Do Prevention of Blindness amongst Men and		In English	4,627
Women.		2	1,020
Do	4	In Burmese	7,620
Instructions for Prevention of Consumption	5	In English	4,627
$\mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{O}}$	6	In Burmese	8,272
Instructions for Prevention of Cholera	7	In English	4,628
Do •••	8	In Burmese	7,273
Instructions for Prevention of Malaria	9	In English	4,627
Do	10	In Burmese	9,422
Instructions for Prevention of Small-pox	11 12	In English In Burmese	4,425 7,071
Do• ····	13	Do	7,889
Instructions for Prevention of Plague •••	14	Do	4,671
Instructions for Prevention of Measles Instructions for Prevention of Dysentery	15	Do	8,171
Instructions for Prevention of Flies	16	Do	6,124
Common Colds	17	In English	4,426
Do	18	In Burmese	6,123
Chicken-pox and its Prevention	19	In English	3,428
Do	20	In Burmese	5,174
Instructions regarding Fresh Air	21	In English	4,457
Do. •••	22	In Burmese	4,648
Advice to Mothers (Vaccination)	23	In English	3,431
Do	24 25	In Burmese	6,624
Syphilis ··· ··· ···	25	In English In Burmese	6,624
Do	27	In English	6,624
Gonorrhoea	28	In Burmese	6,624
Do The Rules of Health for Children	29	In English :	0,02-(7
Do	30	In Burmese	•••
Total	•••	•••	159,37.7/
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Public Health Posters.

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	Title	of the Publi	ications.		Number of the Publica- tions.	Language.	Number of copies distributed.
Small-j Cholera Fly		•••	•••	•••	1 2 3	In Burmees Do Do	2,307 2,307 2,337
J			Total	•••			6,951
	/		Public H	lealth	Lectures	•	
A Magi	ic Lanter	n Lecture	on Tubercul	osis	1.	In English	301

A Magic Lantern Lecture on Tuberculosis A Magic Lantern Lecture on Cholera A Lecture on Cholera Do. Magic Lantern Lecture on Tuberculosis A Magic Lantern Lecture on Plague Do. The Danger of Flies and how they Spread	1. 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	In English Do Do In Burmese Do In English In Burmese In Burmese	301 301 304 307 304 309 315 307
Disease A Lecture on Venereal Disease Do A Magic Lantern Lecture on Child-Welfare A Lecture on Consumption Do A Magic Lantern Lecture on Child-Welfare.	9 10 11 12 13 14 15	Do In Burmese In English In Burmese In English In Burmese In Burmese	454 316 305 326 305 320 310
A Magic Lantern Lecture on Cholera Lecture on Rabies or Canine Madness Do. Lecture on Hook-Worm Disease Do. Total	16 17 18 19 20	Do In English In Burmese In English In English	311 5,095

Public Health Handbills.

Handbills Do.	•••		1 2	In English In Burmese	20,000 20,000
	Total	•••		•••	40,000
Total of Publ	lic Health Series distri	buted		•••	702,553
	lic Health Cards distri				159,377
	lic Health Posters dist			•••	6,951
	lic Health Lectures dis			•••	5,095
	lic Health Handbills d			•••	40,000
			RAND TO	OTAL	913,976
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STATEMENT A.—Statement showing Total Income from all sources and Expenditure

							Amount
Name of Division.		Total receipts including	Total Ex- penditure on Public	Water	supply.	Drain	age.
		opening balance.	Health purposes.	Capital outlay.	Establish- ment, repairs. etc.	Capital outlay.	Establish- ment, repairs, etc.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Towns in—							
Arakan Division	•••	3,98,380	3,06,695	25,915	53,310	•••	26
Pegu Division	•••	2,01,17,378	53,57,714	4,47,179	8,40,986	71,683	3,60,836
Irrawaddy Division	•••	18,67,109	4,25,996	40,228	11,299	5,459	3,643
Tenasserim Division	•••	16,11,124	3,54,168	9,970	35,254.	•••	1,786
Magwe Division	•••	10,65,249	1,95,263	1,350	15,618		8,841
Mandalay Division	•••	28,24,543	7,46,284	56,711	24,882	761	31,514
Sagaing Division	•••	6,88,153	1,49,152	13,344	13,938	2,465	874
Total	•••	2,85,71,936	75,35,272	5,94,697	9,59,287	80,368	4,07,520
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Districts in—							
Arakan Division	•••	8,35,495	45,263	392	700		
Pegu Division	•••	63,26,169	6,87,710	4,727	7,315	4,747	
Irrawaddy Division	•••	36,43,765	1,46,384	10,234	803		
Tenasserim Division	•••	46,20,272	60,501	420	41	•••	
Magwe Division	•••	21,98,338	81,640	1,796	4,873		
Mandalay Division	•••	14,02,884	1,21,384	5,489	13,585		
Sagaing Division	•••	19,17,491	1,61,082	22,227	19,391	499	500
Total	•••	2,09,44,414	13,03,964	45,285	46,708	5,246	500
ę •	•						
GRAND TOTAL	•••	4,95,16,350	88,39,236	6,39,982	10,05,995	85,614	4,08,020
Federated Shan States— Towns	•••	2,58,107	67,946	4,278	4,370	•••	2,914

for Public Health purposes during the financial year 1926-27.

spent on

Conservancy (including road cleaning and watering) and latrines.	Epidemic charges (includ- ing plague) .	Vaccination.	Registration of births and deaths.	Markets and slaughter-houses.	Charges on account of Health Officers and Public Health Inspectors.	Other sanitary requirements.		
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
1,09,295	5,053	1,382	1,172	11,892	11,135	87,51 5		
17,03,736	9,350	93,038	2,152	10,44,966	2,53,214	5,66, 574		
2,10,280	13,108	7,025	5,857	92,168	28,936	7,993		
2,08,886	2,068	5,268	5,195	53,197	26,381	6,16 3		
1,10,551	3,931	4,122	1,414	42,862	5,082	1,492		
3,80,015	6,888	7,473	9,775	1,53,463	60,393	14,409		
82,423	224	1,933	514	20,031	2,766	10,640		
28,05,186	40,622	1,20,241	26,079	14,18,579	3,87,907	6,94,786		
				,				
			•		4.004			
11,657	728	10,703		15,925	4,804	354		
46,804	1,628	47,302	•••	63,456	17,220	4,94,511		
36,308	1,935	51,806	•••	38,557	6,481	260		
14,450	1,123	35,189		5,864	3,339	75		
33,773	1,953	20,187	•••	14,996	2,377	1,685		
. 36,250	468	26,005	•••	31,859	7,628	100		
46,060	3,268	37,418	•••	13,549	4,970	13,200		
2,25,302	11,103	2,28,610		1,84,206	46,819	5,10,185		
30,30,488	51,725	3,48,851	26,079	16,02 785	4,34,726	12,04,971		
. 26,474	. 244	•••	306	25,402	- 3,674	284		

ANNUAL STATEMENT No. I .-- Births registered in the

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1	2			3			4	
			Population a	ccording to Ce	nsus of 1921.	Numb	er of births regi	stered.
No.	Divisions and Districts.		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
	Anara Davison							
	ARAKAN DIVISION.		200 217	265,723	574,040	6,773	6,147	12,920
1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu	•••	308,317 96,569 55,304	103,304 56,725	199,873 112,029	1,766 1,949	1,833 1,932	3,599 3,881
3	Sandoway	•••	55,304	30,723	112,029	1,717	1,732	3,001
	PEGU DIVISION.		020 716	106 700	345,505	2795	3,531	7,316
4 5	Rangoon Pegu	•••	238,716 235,324	106,789 210,296	445,620	3,785 5,057	4,618	9,675
6	Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy	•••	246,261 201,043	246,168 163,581	492,429 364,624	5,561 3,951	5,273 3,820	10,834 7,771
8	Insein	•••	154,767	134,773 188,772	289,540 371,575	2,944 6,476	2,769 6, 09 0	5,713 12,566
9	Prome IRRAWADDY DIVISIO	···	182,803	100,772	371,373	0,470	0,090	12,000
10			252.047	236,526	489,473	5,708	5,271	10,979
10 11	Bassein Henzada	•••	252,947 273,439	277,481	550,920	6,637	6,399	13,036
12 13	Myaungmya Ma-ubin	•••	196,757 168,513	173,794 161,593	370,551 330,106	4,068 3 ,579	3,801 3,399	7,86 9 6.978
14	Pyapôn	•••	156,721	132,273	288,994	2,613	2,473	5,086
	TENASSERIM DIVISIO	N.						
15	Thatôn	•••	245,909	225,191	471,100	3,811	3,421	7,232
16 17	Amherst Tavoy	•••	223,348 80,994	194,562 75,792	417,910 156,786	6,308 3,006	5,898 3,015	12,206 6,021
18 19	Mergui	•••	72,878 197, 50 5	62,587 184,378	135,465 381,883	2,045 3,352	1,983 3,076	4,028 6,4 2 8
19	Toungoo Magwe Division.	•••	197,303	104,570	301,003	3,332	3,070	o, .20
00	1000		105.002	120 122	255 406	2 621	3 4 4 0	7,071
20 21	Thayetmyo	• • •	125,283 134,495	130,123	255,406 274,302	3,631 4,131	3,440 3,883	8,014
22 23	Magwe Pakôkku	•••	211,686 223,943	211,566 241,828	423,252 465,771	4,549 8,078	4,198 8,113	8,7 47 16,191
23	MANDALAY DIVISION	v	223,713	211,020	100,771	, 3,070	3,123	•
24	Mandalan		182,999	173,622	356,621	6,951	6,727	13,678
25	Kyauksè	•••	70,449	72,228	142,677	2,494	2,446	4,940
26 27	Meiktila Myingyan	•••	137,573 213,294	152,324 228,714	289,897 442,008	3,210 4,99 2	3,171 4,771	6,381 9,763
28	Yamethin	•••	160,913	162,276	323,189	4,665	4,529	9,194
er eres	SAGAING DIVISION							
29	Shwebo	•••	184,708	206,576	391,284	6,224	6,050	12,274 8,971
30	Sagaing Lower Chindwin	•••	155,054 156,693	171,854 186,187	326,908 342,880	4,566 6, 0 96	4,405 5,944	12,040
100 to	Total	•••	5,545,205	5,277,413	10,822,618	138,976	132,426	271,402

Districts of Burma during the year 1927. (Paragraph 9.)

	5		6	7	8		9		1
Ratio of birt	ths per 1,000 of	population.	Number of males	Excess of births over	Excess of deaths over births	Mean rati	o of births per 1, revious five year	,000 during	
Male.	Female.	Total.	born to every hundred females.	deaths per 1,000 of population.	per 1,000 of popula- tion.	Male.	Female.	Total.	No.
11 [.] 80 8 [.] 84 17 [.] 40	10 [.] 71 9 [.] 17 17 [.] 25	22 [.] 51 18 [.] 01 34 [.] 64	110 96 101	2 4 11	 	13.80 10.38 19.05	12·78 9·21 17·96	26·58 19·59 37·01	1 2 3
10.95 11.35 11.29 10.84 10.17 17.43	10.22 10.36 10.71 10.48 9.56 16.39	21.17 21.71 22.00 21.31 19.73 33.82	107 110 105 103 106 106	 2 1 8 3 6	 	9·77 13·40 14·04 13·87 14·02 15·27	9·18 12·56 13·37 13·00 13·04 14·54	18.95 25.96 27.42 26.86 27.06 29.81	4 5 6 7 8 9
11.66 12.05 10.98 10.84 9.04	10.77 11.62 10.26 10.30 8.56	22:43 23:66 21:24 21:14 17:60	108 104 107 105 106	4 4 5 5 4	•••	12:48 16:07 11:09 14:23 10:09	11.85 15.46 10.89 13.32 9.32	24·33 31·53 21·98 27·55 19·41	10 11 12 13 14
8·09 15·09 19·17 15·10 8·78	7·26 14·11 19·23 14·63 8·05	15·35 29·21 38·40 29·73 16·83	111 107 100 103 109	2 14 18 11	04	11.65 14.78 18.67 16.46 11.30	10.86 13.66 17.48 15.04 10.67	22 [.] 51 28 [.] 44 36 [.] 15 31 [.] 50 21 [.] 97	15 16 17 18 19
14·22 15·06 10·75 17·34	13·47 14·16 9·92 17·42	27.69 29.22 20.66 34.76	106 106 108 100	3 1 4 14		15·59 16·53 13·68 18·07	14·43 15·94 12·81 17·53	30·03 32·47 26·49 35·60	20 21 22 23
19·49 17·48 11·07 11·29 14·43	18 [.] 86 17 [.] 14 10 [.] 94 10 [.] 79 14 [.] 01	38·35 34·62 22·01 22·09 28·45	103 102 101 105 103	9 6 6 8 6	•••	20·35 18·90 12·72 12·96 16·42	19·26 17·94 12·46 12·40 16·00	39.61 36.83 25.18 25.36 32.42	24 25 26 27 28
15 [.] 91 13 [.] 97 17 [.] 78	15·46 13·47 17·34	31·37 27·44 35·11	103 104 103	9 10 14	•••	16 [.] 83 13 [.] 39 16 [.] 48	16·14 12·98 16·22	32·97 26·36 32·70	29 30 31
12.84	12.24	25.08	105	6		14.32	13.59	27.91	

ANNUAL STATEMENT No. II.—Statement of Births and Deaths registered

-		ANNUAL S							1			
	1	2	3	4		5	6		7			
				n per	Population (Census 1921).		us 1921) .	Birtl	hs.	Number of deaths registered.		
	No.	Divisions and Districts.	Area in square miles.	Average population square mile.	Male.	Femal c .	Total.	Total number.	Birth-rate per 1.000 of population.	Male.	Female.	Total.
2	110	ARAKAN DIVISION.										
	1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway	5,056 4,387 3,784	45.26		103,304	574,040 199,873 112,029	12,920 3,599 3,881	18:01		5,674 1,396 1,324	
		PEGU DIVISION.			220		245 505	7.216	01.15	6.024	2017	10.054
	4 5 6 7 8 9	Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	77 4,083 2,863 1,866 1,903 2,915	172·00 195·40 152·15	235,324 246,261 201,043 154,767	246,168 163,581 134,773	445,620 492,429 364,624 289,540	7,316 9,675 10,834 7,771 5,713 12,566	21.71 22.00	4,803 5,490 2,745 2,713	4,627 2,272 2,088	8,579 10,117 5,017 4,801
A		IRRAWADDY Division.									•	
	10 11 12 13 14	Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	4,127 2,872 2,650 1,640 2,148	191.82 139.83 201.28	252,947 273,439 196,757 168,513 156,721	277,481 173,794	370,551 330,106	10,9 7 9 13,036 7,869 6,9 7 8 5,086	23.66 21.24 21.14	5,733 3,362	2,505	8,844 11,086 5,913 5,346 3,898
		TENASSERIM DIVISION.										
	15 16 17 18 19	Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	4,831 7,059 5,308 9,789 6,135	59·20 29·54 13·84	223,348 80,994 72,878	194,562 75,792 62,587	417,910 156,786 135,465	7,232 12,206 6,021 4,028 6,428	29.21 38 [.] 40 29 [.] 73		2,833 1,540 1,182	6,139 6,344 3,204 2,564 6,444
1		MAGWE DIVISION.										
	20 21 22 23	Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku	4,750 3,293 3,687 6,210	83·30 114·80	134,495 211,686	139,807 211,566	274,302 423,252	7,071 8,014 8,747 16,191	29.22	3,171 3,879 3,906 4,842	3,783 3,278	6,322 7,662 7,184 9,548
		Mandalay Division.							- 8			
	24 25 26 27 28	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	2,117 1,282 2,287 2,746 4,176	111·29 126·76 160·96	137,573	72,228 152,324 228,714	142,677 289,897 442,008	13,678 4,940 6,381 9,763 9,194	34.62 22.01 22.09	5,535 2,031 2,337 3,129 3,729		10,422 4,028 4,666 6,162 7,179
ę,		SAGAING DIVISION.								19		
	29 30 31	Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin	5,714 1,825 3,480	179.13	184,708 155,054 156,693	171,854		12,274 8,971 12,040	31·37 27·44 35·11	2,856	4,428 2,840 3,592	8,701 5,696 7,178
		Total	115,060	94 '0 6	5,545,205	5,277,413	10,822,618	271,402	25.08	112,498	99,045	211,543

in the Districts of Burma during the year 1927. (Paragraphs 9 & 12).

8	9												10		1
of males deaths of				Deaths	per 1,0	00 of po	pulatio	n from				1,000 d	atio of de during pro live years	evious	
aths of ired de					and			ses.	A	ll causes	5.				No.
Number of deaths to every hundred females.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery Diarrhæa.	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female,	Total.	
108 98 1 0 2	·19 ·01	·13 		13· 3 6 6·97 11·92	1·04 ·53 ·63	·99 ·10 ·54	·17 ·17 ·49	4·72 6·04 10·29		21·35 13·51 23·34	20.60 13.80 23.88	18.70 15.93 25.18	19·10 14·20 22·16	18·89 15·04 23·65	1 2 3
177 127 119 121 130 110	.24 .07 1.42 .05 .13 1.57	·59 ·28 ·02 ·16 ·09 ·15	·49 ·12 ·89 · ·18 ·98	1:34 5:77 9:38 3:89 6:86 10:50	3·01 ·35 ·84 ·44 ·39 1·17	9.78 .37 .57 .40 .51 .85	·81 ·55 ·55 ·24 ·34 ·39	15·15 11·74 6·88 8·56 8·08 12·35	29·05 20·41 22·29 13·56 17·53 29·72	17.96 18.80 13.88	19.25 20.55 13.76 16.58	32.07 21.53 21.25 18.32 19.93 25.45	41.70 19.89 19.29 18.49 18.98 22.94	35.05 20.76 20.27 18.40 19.49 24.17	4 5 6 7 8 9
120 107 132 113 128	.55 1.24 .37 1.27 .25	·01 ·01 ·04 ·06	·59 ·44 ·05 ·04 ·14	6·41 5·75 4·05 2·57 4·93	.35	.98 .73 .55 .57 .77	·24 ·22 ·27 ·34 ·38	11.01	20·97 17·09	15.20	20·12 15·96	19·37 21·40 17·86 19·29 15·94	17·53 20·43 16·41 18·16 14·42	18:48 20:91 17:18 18:73 15:24	10 11 12 13 14
108 124 108 117 123	·10 ·39 ··· ·05	·06 ·02 ·27	·21 ·06	6·17 3·36 13·62 10·81 7·99	·49 1·31	.76 1:32 :55 :61 :47	·21 ·41 ·33 ·60 ·30	9·14 5·42	15.72 20.54 18.96	18.89	15·18 20·44 18·93	15.01 16.93 21.70 19.36 19.04	14.83 16.39 21.87 18.61 17.06	14.93 16.68 21.78 19.01 18.08	15 16 17 18 19
101 103 119 103	.57 1.20 .59 .27	·17 ·80 ·28	·63 ·48 ·24 ·03	12·87 13·15 4·95 8·77	·53 ·40	·30 ·47 ·76 ·77·	'17 '46 '49 '41	11.63	18.45			22·89 28·10 19·27 23·83	21·36 26·17 17·87 22·34	22:11 27:12 18:57 23:06	20 21 22 23
113 102 100 103 108	'11 '71 '01 '08 '16	30 01 08 19 07	.98 .63 1.21 .41 .52	7:03 9:37 3:41 2:52 7:28	·33 ·29 ·26	3.81 .31 .62 .50 .60	·36 ·44 ·44 ·39 ·35	16·42 10·04	16 [.] 99	27.65 15.29 13.26		35·94 33·99 19·94 17·82 24·11	34·40 32·13 17·21 16·47 22·60	35·19 33·05 18·51 17·12 23·36	24 25 26 27 28
96 101 100	·21 ·02	·19 ·14 ·27	'16 '23 '06	8·47 4·32 8·21		·45 ·22 ·38	·47 ·47 ·46	11.28	18.42		22·24 17·42 20·93	24·48 20·62 23·07	21.65 18.52 20.35	22 [.] 99 19 [.] 52 21 [.] 59	29 30 31
114	.42	.16	'32	6.96	.76	1'03	*37	9'52	20.53	18'77	19'55	21'51	20'18	20*86	

SUPPLEMENTARY ANNUAL STATEMENT II (a)—PROVINCIAL—Showing (I—XII) for the

1		2	3		4	
		Area in square	Average	Population :	according to cens	us of 1921.
Areas.		miles.	population per square mile.	Male.	Female.	Total.
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Pyinwa Circle of Akyab Dist	rict	80	29.88	1,247	1,143	2,390
Hill District of Arakan	•••	1,500	13.94	10,790	10,124	20,914
* Salween District	•••	2,666	18.90	26,811	23,568	50,379
Papun Town	•••	•••	•••	901	513	1,414
Chin Hills District	•••	8,000	13'76	54,122	55,957	110,079
Pakôkku Hill Tracts	•••	3,100	6.47	9,840	10,203	20,043
* Bhamo District	• • •	6,903	16.36	56,888	56,072	112,960
Bhamo Town	•••	•••	•••	4,933	2,808	7,741
* Myitkyina District	•••	11,847	11.68	73,760	64,641	138,401
Myitkyina Town	•••	•••		3,107	1,849	4,956
* Katha District	•••	7,721	30.27	118,103	115,603	233,706
Katha Town	• • •			2,583	1,870	4,453
* Upper Chindwin District		14,525	12.25	90,182	87,701	177,883
Mawlaik Town	• • •			.1,672	743	2,415
• Northern Shan States	• • •	20,156	27.74	285,700	273,523	559,223
Lashio Town	•••	•••	•••	2,046	1,402	3,448
* Southern Shan States	• • •	40,437	22.54	458,193	453,275	911,468
Taunggyi Town	• • •	•••	•••	3,311	2,705	6,016
Loilem Town	•••	•••		• 552	446	998
Kalaw Town	•••		•••	1,822	1,175	2,997
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Total		116,935	19.99	1,185,636	1,151,810	2,337,446

^{*} Includ

births and deaths in areas not included in the main statements year 1927. (Paragraph 7.)

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	Number	r of births regi	istered.	Birth-rate	Number	r of deaths reg	sistered	Death-rate per 1,000 of	Remarks.
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Birth-rate per 1,000 of population.	Male.	Female.	Total.	population.	Rem
	5	7	12	5:02	15	13	28	11.72	
	96	110	206	9.85	119	104	223	10.66	
	415	396	811	16.10	482	425	907	18.00	
	17	29	46	32.53	16	18	34	24.05	
	2,300	2,808	5,108	46.40	1,880	1,630	3,510	31.89	
	143	133	276	13.77	192	170	362	18.06	
	1,813	1,666	3,479	30.80	1,703	1,538	- 3,241	28.69	
	98	79	177	22.87	163	73	236	30.49	
	1,363	1,344	2,707	19.56	1,593	1,208	2,801	20.24	
	75	65	140	28.25	173	54	227	45.80	
ŀ	3,379	3,177	6,556	28.05	2,672	2,428	5,100	21.82	
	76	62	138	30.99	114	62	176	39.52	
	3,141	2,627	5,768	32.43	2,993	2,652	5,645	31.73	
	23	23	46	19:05	22	16	38	15.73	
	3,710	3,492	7,202	12.88	3,228	2,697	5,925	10.60	
	68	77	145	42.05	115	65	180	52.20	
	4,530	4,617	9,147	10.04	5,287	5,110	10,397	11.41	
	100	89	189	31.42	69	65	134	22.27	
	27	19	46	46.09	23	16	39	39.08	
	34	32	. 66	22.02	59	30	89	29.70	
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	20,895	20,377	41,272	17.66	20,164	17,975	38,139	16.32	

Town.

Annual Statement No. III.—Deaths registered in the Districts of

1	2						
No.	Divisions an	d Districts.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.
	Arakan l	Division.					
1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway	•	914 188 184	549 171 79	775 137 374	677 185 159	608 188 87
4 5 6 7 8	PEGU D Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	•••	895 771 787 435 474 932	785 561 603 293 367 595	895 674 778 385 329 522	894 563 756 529 385 678	864 538 528 453 308 493
10 11 12 13 14	IRRAWADDY Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	DIVISION.	634 813 350 386 291	510 620 440 403 265	524 921 453 488 280	732 597 470 504 271	601 721 570 442 399
15 16 17 18 19	Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo		527 570 205 244 461	785 526 159 271 341	577 484 256 218 549	356 369 258 152 391	488 381 210 127 416
20 21 22 23	Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku		395 962 581 737	193 524 448 656	586 351 505 582	260 316 808 644	396 330 490 751
24 25 26 27 28	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	•••	1,060 668 373 563	705 328 248 310 520	732 237 304 257 475	800 344 235 674 485	655 221 235 377 390
29 30 31	Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin		757 651 636	459 406 459	632 399 532	469 335 541	517 328 416
		Total	18,038	13,579	15,211	14,837	13,528
	Ratio of deaths month.	per 1,000 in eac	2.67 1.67	1.25	1.41	1.37	1.25

Burma during each month of the year 1927. (Paragraph 12.)

3		1						4	1
June.		July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total deaths registered during the year.	No. ~
	1								
	12 66 42	1,052 430 109	1, 0 21 261 78	1,662 337 428	1,053 274 176	1,014 209 81	1,487 213 578	11,824 2,759 2,675	1 2 3
86 76 3 2	39 90 69 24 38 34	977 713 818 505 474 1,088	839 786 1,080 377 381 1,060	831 738 895 328 352 1,162	1,013 717 1,009 447 560 957	934 687 1,198 496 493 1,050	985 941 896 445 440 919	10,851 8,579 10,117 5,017 4,801 10,390	4 5 6 7 8 9
5 3	13 79 41 82 77	885 1,026 525 379 305	736 1,033 512 381 310	604 1,096 483 408 391	1,126 1,021 434 576 260	940 995 506 553 393	839 1,264 629 444 356	8,844 11,086 5,913 5,346 3,898	10 11 12 13 14
5 3 2	58 50 73 24 09	351 546 270 155 496	429 602 211 154 562	537 511 194 141 609	450 619 225 291 592	507 568 329 303 618	574 618 514 284 900	6,139 6,344 3,204 2,564 6,444	15 16 17 18 19
3 5	339 331 331 341	428 514 467 889	419 467 398 839	737 483 660 842	324 859 846 893	609 1,161 855 975	1,436 1,364 595 1,099	6,322 7,662 7,184 9,548	20 21 22 23
4 3	667 225 604 630 620	834 296 479 703 797	869 257 373 431 706	723 214 393 345 519	905 471 426 804 610	1,152 379 521 657 726	1,320 388 675 711 837	10,422 4,028 4,666 6,162 7,179	24 25 26 27 28
3	334 383 504	948 411 634	707 402 548	813 434 591	1,066 587 740	649 615 560	850 745 917	8,701 5,696 7,178	29 30 31
16,8	329	18,504	17,229	18,461	20,331	20,733	24,263	211,543	
1	•55	1.71	1.59	1:71	1.88	1.92	2.24	19:55	t

ANNUAL STATEMENT No. IV.—Deaths registered according to Age

	-	2		3		4		5		6	
				Under 1	year.	1 year unde		5 and u	nder 10.	10 and 1	under 15.
io.	Divisions	and Districts.		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
2 K	kyab Kyaukpyu andoway	Division Division.	•••	1,383 306 522	1,254 300 443	1,006 157 146	1,072 159 169	448 115 69	441 93 96	154 34 38	143 37 49
5 Pc 6 T. 7 H 8 Ir	Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy nsein Prome	000 000 100	•••	1,160 1,343 1,339 642 577 1,482	990 1,150 1,174 564 428 1,292	490 468 490 294 233 615	470 449 482 317 198 571	125 161 290 104 134 296	139 184 296 89 112 308	124 117 234 51 111 194	83 109 197 58 97 160
11 H 12 M 13 M	Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	•••	•••	1,356 1,639 852 758 269	1,064 1,457 622 644 244	391 526 426 323 238	406 563 373 275 200	257 306 133 124 129	241 275 143 110 111	174 209 92 79 119	168- 197- 78- 79- 113-
16 A 17 T 18 N	TENASSER Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	DIVISION.	•••	609 72 7 393 300 683	528 590 276 203 568	268 380 192 177 382	294 352 213 199 382	174 166 113 93 154	152 155 101 92 173	126 124 49 49 152	127 93 36 36 103
21 N	Magwi Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku	E DIVISION.	•••	912 905 961 1,443	804 837 670 1,267	390 510 428 869	442 491 366 826	214 255 237 277	204 238 192 290	117 105 222 123	92 125 190 130
25 H 26 M 27 M	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	AY DIVISION	•••	1,842 588 698 753 1,158	1,583 520 691 631 990	590 236 344 440 621	543 230 368 389 607	216 106 85 168 232	230 122 80 149 244	112 57 47 128 89	122 57 42 139 108
30 5	Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chino		•••	1,454 821 1,184	1,319 677 915	497 329 467	558 304 429	217 123 176	223 108 168	96 84 112	117 81 104 3,270
		otal, Deaths	•••				-	-	673,733		-
			g •••	221:37					8:25	5.43	
25 F 26 N 27 N 28 N 30 S 31 I	Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin SAGAIN Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chino	MG DIVISION.	•••	588 698 753 1,158 1,454 821 1,184 29,059 131,269	520 691 631 990 1,319 677 915 24,695	236 344 440 621 497 329 467 12,923 534,388	230 368 389 607 558 304 429 12.697 554,521	106 85 168 232 217 123 176 5,697 665,315	122 80 149 244 223 108 168 5,559	57 47 128 89 96 84 112 3,522 648,260	-

the Districts of Burma during the year 1927. (Paragraphs 12 and 14.)

7	7		8	9		1	0	1	.1	1	2	1
15 and u	inder 20.	20 and u	ınder 30.	30 and u	nder 40.	40 and t	ınder 50.	50 and u	nder 60.	60 and u	pwards.	
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					160		201		20.7			
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40	4-1	/1	96	93	70	02	03	. 92	08	190	222	3'
290	154	1,127	495	1,208	432	938	329	609	271	863	554	4
228 268 99	148 207 78	493 612 251	419 513 243	521 588 294	349 436 202	468 519 245	285 357 165	355 398 237	226 324 146	649 752 523	457 641 410	5. 6.
159 253	112 243	309 512	225 497	279 551	229 463	264 495	215 383	237 406	190 381	410 628	282 660	4° 5° 6° 7 8
233 234	189 2 40	470 534	447 514	547 580	409 525	432 520	306- 389	356 442	262 435	606 743	530 758	10 ¹
117	97 85	380 290	281 307	345 245	249 234	321 261	189 174	234 180	172 170	462 463	347 427	12 13
187	135	293	232	280	206	242	144	217	141	215	183	14-
144	153	202	221	251	214	303	265	409	396	696	607	15
155 55 47	129 57	346 116	336 160	341 164	273 151	337 138	231 124	294 130	199 146	641	475 276	16. 17
209	37 148	123 384	121 379	120 441	119 287	151 380	85 273	101 298	88 196	221 474	202 378	18- 19-
					220							
87 160	128 137 191	210 315 387	318 354 316	224 319 308	228 334 303	274 288 261	220 264 231	240 322 269	227 270 176	503 700 589	488 733 643	20° 21 22
244 154	162	298	348	306	308	289	255	313	292	770	828	23-
104	4.40	FOR	201	406	250	106	205	116	277	774	040	0.4
186 70 108	140 62 106	507 137 196	391 1 7 7 190	486 160 145	358 151 176	426 156 143	295 127 110	416 171 140	377 164 103	754 350 431	848 387 463	24 ⁻ 25 26-
151 126	134 115	222 285	278 296	219 244	248 214	226 206	179 166	214 243	182 170	608 525	704 540	27 28
	1		205	260	201	245	210	205	246	761	1 004	20.
148 75 139	157 103 153	301 213 259	305 247 273	269 209 219	281 196 252	245 174 197	218 151 209	285 227 190	246 201 217	761 601 643	1,004 772 872	29° 30° 31
4,757	4,152	10,454		10,576		9,623	6,787	8,627	6,833	17,260	16,729	
543,201	566,316	986,827	926,484	805,282	653,264	570,043	499,720	347,411	344,624	313,209	312,542	
8.76	7.33	10.59	10.64	13.13	12.96	16.88	13.28	24.83	19.83	55.11	53.53	

SUPPLEMENTARY ANNUAL STATEMENT No. IV (a) giving the Details

-				Not exc	ceeding one	month.		
, N o.	Division and District.		Male.			Female.		Total of
No.	Division was 2	Under one week.	Over one week.	Total.	Under one week.	Over one week.	Total.	columns 5 and 8.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	ARAKAN DIVISION.							
1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway	114 55 54	143 72 85	257 127 139	102 31 43	152 79 61	254 110 104	511 237 243
	PEGU DIVISION.						100	
4 5 6 7 8	Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	325 152 95 94 65 90	154 228 182 97 103 218	479 380 277 191 168 308	274 113 76 80 35 81	138 193 125 91 83 182	412 306 201 171 118 263	891 686 478 362 286 571
	IRRAWADDY DIVISION.							•
10 11 12 13 14	Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	257 146 105 81 35	196 196 141 105 39	453 342 246 186 74	183 143 80 83 41	139 130 88 92 40	322 273 168 175 81	775 615 414 361 155
	TENASSERIM DIVISION.							
15 16 17 18 19	Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	87 116 53 47 40	132 113 99 60 78	219 229 152 107 118	70 72 39 37 21	127 97 65 40 70	197 169 104 77 91	416 398 256 184 209
	MAGWE DIVISION.							
20 21 22 23	Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku	49 123 142 321	104 112 145 275	153 235 287 596	48 87 88 272	57 104 96 251	105 191 184 523	258 426 471 1,119
	MANDALAY DIVISION.					222		4.056
24 25 26 27 28	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	463 88 66 113 75	228 125 75 112 146	691 213 141 225 221	345 87 76 77 72	220 103 61 94 107	565 190 137 171 179	1,256 403 278 396 400
V	SAGAING DIVISION.			44.4	150	100	260	h= 4
29 30 31	Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin	221 145 205	193 140 217	414 285 422	175 125 149	185 119 134	360 244 283	774 529 705
	Total	4,022	4,313	8,335	3,205	3,523	6,728-	15,063

of Deaths by Ages under One year during the year 1927. (Paragraph 14.)

		ne month ar ding six mor			ix months an		Total male, columns 5,	Total female, columns 8,	Total.	No.
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	10 and 13.	11 and 14.		
	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(1)
	750	655	1,405	376	345	721	1,383	1,254	2,637	1
	110	111	221	69	79	148	306	300	606	2
	300	247	547	83	92	175	522	443	965	3
	482	414	896	199	164	363	1,160	990	2,150	4
	767	651	1,418	196	193	389	1,343	1,150	2,493	5
	817	725	1,542	245	248	493	1,339	1,174	2,513	6
	316	282	598	135	111	246	642	564	1,206	7
	289	219	508	120	91	211	577	428	1,005	8
	926	814	1,740	248	215	463	1,482	1,292	2,774	9
	654	542	1,196	249	200	449	1,356	1,064	2,420	10
	950	863	1,813	347	321	668	1,639	1,457	3,096	11
	457	321	778	149	133	282	852	622	1,474	12
	427	341	768	145	128	273	758	644	1,402	13
	115	87	202	80	76	156	269	244	513	14
	218	184	402	172	1,47	319	609	528	1,137	15
	337	258	595	161	163	324	727	590	1,317	16
	155	120	275	86	52	138	393	276	669	17
	153	78	231	40	48	88	300	203	503	18
	389	339	728	176	138	314	683	568	1,251	19
	569	505	1,074	190	194	384	912	804	1,716	20
	466	450	916	204	196	400	905	837	1,742	21
	443	320	763	231	166	397	961	670	1,631	22
	559	477	1,036	288	267	555	1,443	1,267	2,710	23
	880	755	1,635	271	263	534	1,842	1,583	3,425	24
	263	244	507	112	86	198	588	520	1,108	25
	392	383	775	165	171	336	698	691	1,389	26
	321	262	583	207	198	405	753	631	1,384	27
	714	608	1,322	223	203	426	1,158	990	2,148	28
-	814	722	1,536	226	237	463	1,454	1,319	2,773	29
	395	307	702	141	126	267	821	677	1,498	30
	515	413	928	247	219	466	1,184	915	2,099	31
	14,943	12,697	27,640	5,781	5,270	11,051	29,059	24,695	53,754	

ANNUAL STATEMENT No. V.—Deaths registered according

1	2			3			
-				Population (Census 1921) .		
No.	Divisions and Districts.	Christians.	Mahome- dans.	Hindus.	Burmese or Buddhists.	Other classes.	Total.
						-	
	ARAKAN DIVISION.						
1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway	618 136 956	208,961 4,479 5,251	14,719 634 376	315,137 178,451 100,878	34,605 16,173 4,568	574,040 199,87 3 112,029
	Pegu Division.	25 210	62,070	125,626	114,319	18,180	345,50 5
4 5 6 7 8 9	Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	9,790 8,074 5,074 15,544	9,745 5,421 12,811 7,874 4,174	40,856 9,179 47,326 24,034 5,509	378,338 467,558 293,768 238,733 356,283	6,891 2,197 5,645 3,355 4,371	445,620 492,429 364,624 289,540 371,575
	IRRAWADDY DIVISION						
10 11 12 13 14	Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	. 11,742 . 21,198 . 11,984 9,054	9,994 5,211 11,451 6,001 5,640	14,947 6,703 9,533 6,833 16,431	525,231 324,315 302,862	3,356 2,033 4,054 2,426 3,797	489,473 550,920 370,551 330,106 288,994
	TENASSERIM DIVISION						
15 16 17 18 19	Amherst Tavoy Mergui	3,811 7,074 2,645 6,153 35,442	2,873 11,645	25,415 3,319 6,613	355,175 145,146 104,617	2,443 3,568 2,803 6,437 20,723	471,100 417,910 156,786 135,465 381,883
	MAGWE DIVISION.						
20 21 22 23	Minbu Magwe	465 174 1,153 307	1,223 3,521	1,995 7,243	265,885 410,548	11,275 5,025 787 3,442	255,406 274,302 423,252 465,771
	MANDALAY DIVISION		22.200	22.06		2.00	254.424
24 25 26 27 28	Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan	8,329 592 772 342 2,416	5,740 4,283 1,156	1,028 2,644 5 1,724	3 135,082 4 281,618 4 438,374	3,695 235 580 412 3,080	356,621 142,677 289,897 442,008 323,189
	SAGAING DIVISION.		1				
29 30 31	Sagaing \	2,008 948 334	2,811	1,950	321,016	664 177 157	391,284 326,908 342,880
	Total .	226,313	488,349	450,236	9,480,566	177,154	10,822,618

APPENDICES.

to classes in the Districts of Burma during the year 1927.

				4					•	5			1
		Nun	nber of de	eaths registe	ered.		1	Ratio of d	leaths per	1,000 of po	opulation.		
	aris- ans.	.Maho- medans.	Hindus.	Burmese or Buddhists	Other classes.	Total.	Christians.	Maho- medans.	Hindus.	Burmese or Buddhists	Other classes.	Total.	No.
	10 2 32	3,783 61 102	209 6 5	7,413 2,503 2,426	409 187 110	11,824 2,759 2,675	16·18 14·71 33·47	18·10 13·62 19·42	14·20 9·46 13·30	23·52 14·03 24·05	11.82 11.56 24.08	20.60 13.80 23.88	1 · 2 3
	629 215 97 44 215 6	1,626 166 161 151 134 89	4,246 382 384 434 305 289	4,198 7,229 9,341 4,017 3,882 9,918	152 587 134 371 265 88	10,851 8,579 10,117 5,917 4,801 10,390	24·85 21·96 12·01 8·67 13·83 4·85	26·20 17·03 29·70 11·79 17·02 21·32	33.80 9.35 41.83 9.17 12.69 52.46	36.72 19.11 19.98 13.67 16.26 27.84	8:36 85:18 60:99 65:72 78:99 20:13	31.41 19.25 20.55 13.76 16.58 27.96	4 5 6 7 8
	408 143 251 99 135	278 111 147 75 101	493 174 188 114 117	7,602 10,529 5,152 4,991 3,159	63 129 175 67 386	8,844 11,086 5,913 5,346 3,898	12.50 12.18 11.84 8.26 14.91	27.82 21.30 12.84 12.50 17.91	32.98 25.96 19.72 16.68 7.12	17.74 20.05 15.89 16.48 12.43	18.77 63.45 43.17 27.62 101.66	18:07 20:12 15:96 16:19 13:49	10 11 12 13 14
	30 105 75 108 411	182 494 40 205 144	317 526 47 129 240	5,544 5,139 2,933 2,091 5,523	66 80 109 31 126	6,139 6,344 3,204 2,564 6,444	7·87 14·84 28·36 17·55 11·60	13.58 18.52 13.92 17.60 17.64	15.02 20.70 14.16 19.51 12.26	12.88 14.47 20.21 19.99 18.53	27·02 22·42 38·89 4·82 6·08	13.03 15.18 20.44 18.93 16.87	15 16 17 18 19
	14 2 12 1	99 20 55 12	50 35 57 10	5,965 7,538 7,023 9,522	194 67 37 3	6,322 7,662 7,184 9,548	30°11 11°49 10°41 3°26	49.65 16.35 15.62 11.74	25.69 17.54 7.87 11.88	24.88 28.35 17.11 20.69	17·21 13·33 47·01 ·87	24·75 27·93 16·97 20·50	20 21 22 23
	163 6 5 ••• 23	676 161 173 16 322		8,827 3,817 4,425 6,107 6,603	130 6 6 12 50	10,422 4,028 4,666 6,162 7,179	19·57 10·14 6·48 ••• 9·52	29·13 28·05 40·39 13·84 24·95	28·38 36·96 21·56 15·66 29·10	29·49 28·26 15·71 13·93 22·12	35·18 25·53 10·34 29·13 16·23	29.22 28.23 16.10 13.94 22.21	24 25 26 27 28
	17 3 7	126 43 28	35	5,609		8,701 5,696 7,178	3.16	16.56 15.30 27.32	17.89	17.47	10·54 33·90 82·80	22:24 17:42 20:93	29 30 31
-	3,268	9,781	9,767	184,661	4,066	211,543	14.44	20.03	21.69	19:48	22.95	19.55	

Supplementary Annual Statement V-A.—Deaths registered according

1	2 .			•	3				
		٠		Po	pulation (Census 1921)			
No.	Divisions and Districts.	Christi	ans.	Mahom	edans.	Hind	us.	Burmes Buddh	
NO.		Male.	Female.	Male,	Female.	Maie.	Female.	Male.	Female.
	ARAKAN DIVISION.								
1	Akyab	428	190	116,736	92,225	13,401	1,318	159,719	155,418
2	Kyaukpyu	65	71	2,580	1,899	609	25	84,901	93,550
3	Sandoway	488	468	2,749	2,502	331	45	49,415	51,463
4	Pegu Division. Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	14,215	11,095	49,610	12,460	102,798	22,828	59,517	54,802
5		4,918	4,872	6,996	2,749	27,554	13,302	191,186	187,152
6		3,970	4,104	3,736	1,685	7,422	1,757	229,477	238,081
7		3,022	2,052	9,551	3,260	35,365	11,961	148,757	145,011
8		7,681	7,863	5,301	2,573	18,387	5,647	120,939	117,794
9		651	587	2,687	1,487	4,427	1,062	172,327	183,956
10	IRRAWADDY DIVISION. Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	16,207	16,423	7,082	2,912	13,151	1,7.6	213,811	214,735
11		5,711	6,031	3,323	1,888	5,712	991	257,027	268,204
12		10,645	10,553	8,990	2,461	8,544	989	165,260	159,055
13		5,976	6,008	4,350	1,651	5,954	879	150,413	152,449
14		4,925	4,129	4,843	797	12,804	3,627	131,225	122,847
15	Tenasserim Division. Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	1,920	1,891	8,912	4,493	14,794	6,318	218,580	211,749
16		3,596	3,478	16,261	10,417	19,468	5,947	181,489	173,686
17		1,371	1,274	1,844	1,029	2,953	366	72,612	72,534
18		3,297	2,856	6,270	5,375	5,842	771	53,200	51,417
19		17,624	17,818	5,498	2,665	13,316	6,259	149,783	148,197
20	Magwe Division. Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku •••	261	204	1,177	817	1,405	541	116,712	123,014
21		118	56	842	381	1,752	243	129,039	136,846
22		746	407	2,748	773	6,669	574	200,865	209,683
23		210	97	701	321	702	140	220,495	239,663
24	Mandalay Mandalay Kyauskè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	4,506	3,823	13,665	9,544	15,591	6,470	146,205	153,122
25		292	300	2,896	2,844	821	207	66,277	68,805
26		532	240	2,369	1,914	2,005	639	132,184	149,434
27		202	140	833	323	1,399	325	210,540	227,834
28		1,285	1,131	6,896	6,012	4,797	1,423	146,086	152,479
29	SAGAING DIVISION. Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin	1,015	993	3,922	3,688	1,925	613	177,347	201,117
30		446	502	1,563	1,248	1,382	574	151,524	169,492
31		194	140	794	231	1,006	293	154,557	185,508
	Total	116,517	109,796	305,725	182,624	352,286	97,950	4,661,469	4,819,097

to Sex in the four main classes in the Districts of Burma during the year 1927.

1			4									5				1
		Numb	er of de	aths reg	istered.				Rat	io of de	aths per	1,000 o	f popula	ition.		
Chris	tians.	Mahon	nedans.	Hin	dus.		lese or lhists.	Chris	stians.	Mahor	nedans.	Hi	ndus.		nese or dhists.	No.
Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
7 1 12	3 1 20	1,972 32 49	29	6	31	1,221	1,282	15.38	14.08	12.40	19.64 15.27 19.28	6.82	•••	14.38	13.40	2
367 123 49 22 119 2	262 92 48 22 96 4	1,137 119 109 103 91 54	47 52	289 283 325	93 101 109 97	3,855 4,950 2,045	3,374 4,391 1,972 1,758	25.01 12.34 7.28 15.49	18.88 11.70 10.72 12.21	17.01 29.18 10.78 17.17		10·49 38·13 9·19 11·32	6·99 57·48 9·11	20.16 21.57 13.75 17.56	18.03 18.44 13.60 14.92	5 6 7
218 81 148 62 73	190 62 103 37 62	181 73 112 47 - 79			46 34 22	5,361 2,834 2,590	5,168 2,318 2,401	14.18 13.90 10.37	10.28 9.76 6.16	21.97 12.46 10.80	33·31 20·13 14·22 16·96 27·60	22.41 18.02 15.45	46.42 34.38 25.03	20.86 17.15 17.22	19.27	11 12 13
16 43 47 60 204	14 62 28 48 207	101 312 30 105 93	81 182 10 100 51	193 367 42 94 183	159 5 35	2,723 1,465 1,099	2,416 1,468 992	11.96 34.28 18.20	17.83 21.98 16.81	19.19 16.27 16.75	18.03 14.47 9.72 18.60 19.14	18.85 .14.22 16.09	26.74 13.66 45.40	15.00 20.18 20.66	13.91 20.24 19.29	16 17
5 2 5 1	9 7 	49 15 34 10	50 5 21 2	38 28 51 8	7	3,796	3,742 3,237	16 [.] 95 6 [.] 70		17.81	61·20 13·12 27·17 6·23	15.98 7.65		29·42 18·85	27·34 15·44	21 22
88 2 3 16	75 4 2 7	386 84 89 12 179	290 77 84 4 143	414 24 41 21 127	14 16 6	1,918 2,200	1,899 2,225 3,020	6·85 5·64	13·33 8·33	29.01 37.57 14.41	30·39 27·04 43·89 12·38 23·79	29·23 20·45 15·01	67.63 25.04 18.46	28.94 16.64 14.66	27.60 14.89 13.26	25 26 27
11 2 5	6 1 2	62 29 15	64 14 13	14 21 17	14	2,800	4,344 2,809 3,566	4.48	1.99	18.55	17·35 11·22 56·28	15.20	24.39	18.48	16.57	30
1,794	1,474	5,763	4,018	7,071	2,696	95,246	89,415	15.40	13'42	18 [:] 85	22.00	20.07	27.52	20'43	18'55	

ANNUAL STATEMENT No. VI-A.—Births and Deaths registered (Paragraphs 10, 12,

1	2	3		4			5	6	7	grapi 8	9	10
				Births.	1							
No.	Divisions and Districts.	Population (Census 1921).	Male.	Female.	Total.	Birth rate.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhea.	Respiratory Diseases,
	ARAKAN DIVISION.											
1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway	535,148 195,989 108,267	1,719	5,861 1,788 1,879	12,304 3,507 3,770	17.89	105 1	40	•••	7, 3 85 1,363 1,296	535 103 66	425 17 52
4 5 6 7 8	Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	419,355 449,000 341,278 254,031 322,246	5,084 3,661 2,564	4,240 4,796 3,547 2,461 5,610	9,880 7,208	21·09 22·00 21·12 19·78 35·97	353 15	119 2 58 17 56	21 67 41 44	2,247 4,287 1,295 1,750 3,663	69 318 128 57 336	3 110 83 12 24
9 10 11 12 13	IRRAWADDY DIVISION. Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	434,904 512,412 349,709 305,938 272,111	6,057 3,762 3,302	4,561 5,820 3,506 3,109 2,274	9,473 11,877 7,268 6,411 4,684	23·18 20·78 20·96	583 86	6 4 13 8	96 98 5 3 16	2,937 2,901 1,359 751 1,279	284 619 327 67 200	80 252 45 80 138
	TENASSERIM DIVISION.											
14 15 16 17 18	Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	448,841 350,022 129,306 117,057 350,117	5,371 2,584 1,752	3,099 4,999 2,588 1,730 2,713	6,571 10,370 5,172 3,482 5,685	40.00 29.74	115	22 3 88	39	2,787 1,177 1,866 1,165 2,868	155 64 151	224 178 33 48 9
	MAGWE DIVISION.											
19 20 21 22	Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku	233,419 262,065 399,612 446,264	3,948 4,135	3,226 3,683 3,860 7,812	6,630 7,631 7,995 15,647	20.01	300 182	29 146 44	1 60 23 	3,087 3,487 1,977 4,043	132	19 60 96 102
	MANDALAY DIVISION.											
23 24 25 26 27	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	187,707 136,570 281,029 415,983 294,730	2,372 3,057 4,621	2,815 2,336 3,014 4,398 4,102	5,592 4,708 6,071 9,019 8,292	34.47 21.60 21.68	97 3 14	14 2 22 83 20	5 39 247 55 73	1,763 1,304 947 950 2,152	37 77 80	27 2 60 39 4
	SAGAING DIVISION.											
28 29 30	Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin	377,937 310,696 333,655	4,296	5,740 4,168 5,794	11,629 8,464 11,701		55	74 44 93	25 - 37 20	3,277 1,247 2,743		85 32 36
	Total, Rural Districts, Burma.	9,575,398	120,971	115,529	236 500	24'70	3,286	1,007	1,016	69,353	5,197	2,375

from different causes in the Districts of Burma during the year 1927. 17, 18, 20, 22, 24 & 26.)

		1	1			12	13					14					1	1
		Inj	uries.			·	mo.	1		Ratio	of Deat	ths per	1,000 c	of pop	ulation			
Suic	1	ling or nt.	bite or			All other causes.	Total deaths from all causes.	ä.	pox.			Dysentery and Diarrhea.	atory es.	es.	ner ,	Fron caus	es.	No.
Male.	Femalc.	Wounding or accident.	Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts.	Rabies.	Total.	All oth	Total cau	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysent Diarrh	Resoiratory Diseases.	Injuries.	All other causes,	For the year.	Mean of previous five years.	
1 1	1 1 2	58 19 40	9 9 5	4	73 29 48	1,976 1,173 1,105	10,539 2,685 2,568	·20 ···· ·01	·07		13·80 6·95 11·97	.53	·79 ·09 ·48	·13 ·15 ·44	3.69 5.99 10.21	19.69 13.70 23.72	18·59 14·91 23·66	2
3 2	3 3 1 1	57 86 20 20 41	95 116 38 22 38	7 8 6 10 6	166 216 64 56 88	1,971	7,346 7,991 4,469 3,939 8,205	·07 ·79 ·04 ·14 1·29	.07	·05 ·15 ·16 ·14	3.79	·71	·01 ·24 ·24 ·05 ·07	·40 ·48 ·19 ·22 ·27	11·19 5·88 8·28 7·76 11·10	17·80 13·09 15·51	19·15 18·70 17·98 19·09 21·03	5 6 7
1 3 1 4 1	3 1 1 3 1	31 32 14 32 41	29 37 31 60 37	12 10 5 2 7	76 83 52 101 87	3,014 4,878 3,176 3,283 1,424	5,050		···04		3·89 2·45	1·21 ·94 ·22	·18 ·49 ·13 ·26 ·51	17 16 15 33 32	6.93 9.52 9.08 10.73 5.23	18·38 14·44 15·22	19·72 15·54 17·62	10 11 12
4 2 4 2	1 2 3	33 59 24 33 29	38 35 11 25	1 5 3 5	72 104 28 54 61	2,723 534	2,528 1,901		:02		6·21 3·36 14·43 9·95 8·19	·44 ·49 1·29	·51 ·26 ·41	'16 '30 '22 '46 '17	3·93 7·78 4·13 4·13 6·74	12:72 19:55 16:24	13.82	15 16 17
1 1 8 1	7 1	16 28 54 65	8 82 85 99	2 8 21 8	27 119 175 174	2,965 3,193	7,123 5,903	1.14	37	23		50 .28	·23 ·24	·12 ·45 ·44 ·39	11·31 7·99	27·18	26.67	20 21
2 2 2	2 1 3 1	17 22 38 46 26	20 31 63 102 35	1 4 6 2 11	42 59 108 155 73	2,201 3 2,794 5 3,814	3,741 4,258 5,190	71 3 ·01 0 ·03	01 01 02	·29 3 ·88 0 ·13	9·55 3·37 2 ·28	5 ·27 7 ·27 8 ·19	01 01 09	·43	16·12 9·94 9·12	15.15 12.48	32.77 17.96 16.08	24 5 25 8 26
4 6 7		42 45 50	111 68 74	11 6 7	168 128 143		0 5,110	$0 \mid 18$	8 ·20 ·21 ·23	4 12	2 4.0	1 .25	5 10	41	11.2	3 16.4	5 18.7	5 29
70	5,0	1,118	1,413	178	2,829	81,31	9 166,38	2 3	4 1	1 1	1 7.2	24 5	4 25	30	8'4	9 17 3	8 18'8	35

Annual Statement No. VI-B.—Births and Deaths registered from different causes

1	2		3		4			5	6	7	8	9	10
No.	Divisions and Towns		Population (Census 1921).	Male.	Eirths.	Total.	Birth rate.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory Diseases.
1 2	Arakan Divisio: Akyab Minbya	N	36,569 2,323	32	268	50			25 12		246 40	60 2 2	140 2 3 8
3 4	Kyaukpyu Sandoway PEGU DIVISION	•••	3,884 3,762	47 58	53 53	9 2 111			•••	•••	30 39	5	8
5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24	Rangoon Pegu Nyaunglebin Tharrawaddy Thônzè Zigôn Letpadan Gyobingauk Minhla Nattalin Syriam Thôngwa Insein Thamaing Kamayut Thingangyun Kanbe Prome Shwedaung Paungdè IRRAWADDY DIVIS	•••• ••• ••• ••• ••• ••• ••• •••	345,505 18,769 7,496 3,625 6,594 6,916 9,901 7,666 3,829 4,898 15,193 8,153 14,308 4,109 6,483 5,389 5,220 26,067 9,108 14,154	372 81 48 114 94 66 55 45 55 170 120 154 47 36 60 83 301 83	286 92 63 99 83 59 64 52 57 134 139 146 23 29 37 73 251 87	300 70 65 97	35.06 23.08 30.62 32.30 25.59 12.62 15.52 25.33 22.87 20.01 31.77 20.97 17.04 10.02 18.00 29.89 21.18 18.66	37 31 131 123 15 4 3 3 	10	168 2 30 14 33 84 36 132 57 16 232 16 73	211 114 36 41 25 96 22 49 62 93 29 69 31 71 24 41 132	60 27 5 17 15 20 14 16 10 17 17 48 6 55 24	51 55 11 11 42 22 81 9 17 13 16 164 44
25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38	Bassein Ngathainggyaung Kyônpyaw Henzada Myanaung Kyangin Myaungmya Wakèma Moulmeingyun Ma-ubin Yandoon Danubyu Pyapôn Kyaiklat		42,563 5,122 6,884 23,651 7,793 7,064 6,280 8,447 6,115 6,812 9,344 8,012 7,659 9,224	74 74 375 117 88 89 133 84 92 122 63 87	49 76 364 128 87 80 139 76 87 118 85	123 150 739 245 175 169 272 160 179 240 148 199	24·01 21·79 31·25 31·44 24·77 26·91	9 24 66 9 23 3 29 18 6 50 6	2	142 32 20 88 55 11 4 5	176 18 6 129 72 68 28 66 46 23 58 17 68 79	21 6 31 59 30 20 31 42 10 20 20 47	9 30 68 59 32 36 40 64
39 40 41 42 43	Tenasserim Divis Thatôn Kyaikto Moulmein Kawkareik Tavoy	****	15,091 7,168 61,301 6,587 27,480	86 792 145	61 749 150	147 1,541 295	25·14 44·79	43 4	•••	\$ 50 		60	341 31

the Towns of Burma during the year 1927. (Paragraphs 10, 13, 17, 18, 23, 22, 24.)

		11			12	13					1	1				
	In	juries.							Rati	o of Dea	ths per	1,000 of	populat	tion.		
Males. Females.	Wounding or accident.	Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts.	Rabies.	Total.	All other causes.	Total Deaths from all causes.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory Diseases.	. Injuries.	All other causes.	For the year.	
1	1 3	1	•••	23 1 4 7	726 6 35 48	1,222 63 74 107	···	 5.17 	•••	6·73 17·22 7·72 10·37	1.64 .86 .51 1.33	3.83 .86 .77 2.12	63 43 1.03 1.86	2·58 9·01		22.83 21.68 23.29
3 1	52 21 5 2 3 14 7 5 3 21 4 24 2 4 5 5 5 3 21 21 4 24 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21	11 1 3 1 	18 1 1 2 	281 53 26 6 4 9 14 11 5 4 21 4 24 2 4 5 6 40 2 14	5,233 360 180 45 143 156 125 170 49 63 163 134 189 43 14 74 48 596 180 236	10,851 797 436 117 306 329 474 527 203 170 341 207 434 85 113 116 114 1,289 336 560	24 16 1·10 5·61 4·48 13·23 16·04 3·92 ·82 ·20 · ·15 · 2·65 4·50 3·96	·59 ·21 ·27 ·91 ·10 ·26 ·13 ·70 ··· ··· ·04	149 111 4·00 3·86 5·00 12·15 3·64 17·22 14·89 3·27 12 ·70 8·90 1·76 4·82	6.22 3.61 9.70 2.87 12.80 12.66 6.12 3.56	3.01 3.20 3.60 1.38 2.58 2.17 2.02 1.83 4.20 2.04 1.12 2.09 3.35 	9.78 5.54 7.60 1.93 3.79 1.30 5.15 7.17 2.87 2.25 2.76 2.70 5.66 2.19 2.62 2.41 3.07 6.29 4.83 5.48	.81 2.82 3.47 1.66 .61 1.30 1.41 1.43 1.31 .82 1.38 .50 1.68 .49 .62 .93 1.15 1.53 .22	21.69 22.56 12.62 22.18 12.80 12.86 10.73 16.44 13.21 10.46 2.16 13.73	42:46 58:16 32:28 46:41 47:57 47:87 68:75 53:02 34:71 22:44 25:39 30:33 20:69 17:43 21:53 21:84	
	4 2 34 1 20 14 14 6 3 1	1 1 4 2	1	33 5 2 35 1 20 14 15 6 4 1 15 7	841 64 110 538 176 136 155 148 57 127 165 60 147 163	1,773 199 187 993 354 321 258 367 238 208 338 144 386 321	1.08 1.75 3.49 2.80 1.15 3.20 .48 3.43 2.94 .88 5.35 .75 1.31 2.39	·02 ···· ·04 ··· ·32 ··· ··· 1 ·31	3·34 6·24 2·91 3·72 7·79 1·30 ·16 ·59 ·54	4·14 3·51 ·87 5·45 9·24 9·63 4·46 7·81 7·52 3·38 6·21 2·12 8·88 8·56	4.72 4.10 .87 1.31 7.57 4.25 3.18 3.67 6.86 1.47 2.14 2.50 6.14 3.14	7·82 9·76 2·76 4·44 4·75 1·27 4·78 8·05 9·65 4·70 3·85 5·00 8·36 2·28		12.50 15.98 22.75 22.58 19.25 24.68 17.52	27.16 41.99 45.43 45.44 41.08 43.45 38.92 30.53 36.17 17.97	32.84 25.51 36.95 36.57 36.35 40.89 43.87 49.48 36.47 36.88 25.77 38.86
	12 63 2	1	4	16 12 65 2 23	262 122 958 137 316	471 324 1,604 288 676	·07 ·28 ·70 ·61	•56	·53 6·98		1.52 5.44 .98 3.64 .47	7·82 2·51 5·56 4·71 1·97	1.06 1.67 1.06 .30 .84	17·36 17·02 15·63 20·80 11·50	45 ²⁰ 26 ¹⁷ 43 ⁷²	31·28 39·76 30·ó4 38·53 28·68

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1	2	3		-	4		5	6	7	8	9	10
	-	721).		Births							œa.	
No.	Divisions and Towns.	Population (Census 1521).	Male.	Female.	Total.	Birth rate.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhæa.	Respiratory Deseases.
	Tenasserim Division —concld.											
44 45 46 47	Mergui Toungoo Shwegyin Pyu	18,408 19,332 5,758 6,676	223 68	253 200 69 94	423 137	29.66 21.88 23.79 27.41		16	16 5	299 110 43 32	27 60 24 24	35 121 14 37
	MAGWE DIVISION.											
48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55	Thayetinyo Allaninyo Minbu Salin Magwe Taungdwingyi Yenangyaung Pakôkku	10,768 11,219 5,403 6,834 7,819 6,306 9,515 19,507	97 86 97 99 127	102 83 117 70 111 157	242 199 169 214 169 238 345 544	31·31 21·61 37·74 36·26	61 15 21 8 51 3 15 21	14 3 191 85	75 85 73 58 19 1	89 111 36 84 50 44 23 46	15 10 5 8 30 1 28 21	45 25 27 85
1	MANDALAY DIVISION.											
56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65	Mandalay Maymyo Myitngè Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Nyaung-u Yamèthin Pyinmana Pyawbwè	148,917 16,558 3,439 6,107 8,868 18,931 7,094 8,869 14,886 4,704	285 72 122 153 281 90 132 255	341 54 110 157 290 83 140 221	626 126 232 310 571 173 272	36.64 37.99 34.96 30.16 24.39 30.67 31.98	19 2 5 18	93 1 2 4	278 68 51 104 127 26 41 28	672 47 25 33 42 157 7 41 105 55	429 21 9 10 6 26 11 14 36 16	136 17 42 119 150 32 77
	SAGAING DIVISION.											
66 67 68 69 70	Shwebo Ye-u Sagaing Myinmu Mônywa	10,605 2,742 11,858 4,354 9,225	75 217 53	76 193 44	151 410 97	34.58	11 2	 1 1	39 38 1	24 13 128 37 72	15 1 5 2 19	48 45 29 10 93
	Total of Towns, Burma	1,247,220	18,005	16,897	34,902	27 98	1,242	697	2,492	5,968	3,082	8.729
	Total of Rural Districts, Burma.	9,575,398	120,971	115,529	236,500	24.70	3,286	1,007	1,016	69,353	5,197	2,375
	GRAND TOTAL, BURMA	10,822,618	138,976	132,426	271,402	25.08	4,528	1,704	3,508	75,321	8,279	11,104

rom different causes in the Towns of Burma during the year 1927.

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-		Inj	uries.			-				Ratio	of Dea	ths per :	1,000 of	populat	ion.		
Suici	de.		or killed asts.			S	rom all					1	seases		ý	Fron	es.
Males.	Females.	Wounding or accident.	Snake-bite or k by wild beasts.	Rabies.	Total.	All other causes.	Total Deaths from all causes.	Cholera.	Sınall-pox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory Diseases	Injuries.	All other causes.	For the year.	Mean of previous five years.
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3 2	•••	22 42 5 4		1	27 44 5 4	275 292 84 61	663 668 170 164	·47	·83	 	16:24 5:69 7:47 4:79	1.47 3.10 4.17 3.59	1.90 6.26 2.43 5.54	1:47 2:28 :87 :60	15.10 14.20	36.02 34.55 29.52 24.57	34·37 32·15 32·34 30·95
1 1 1 1 1	•••	13 2 2 3 6 11 8 14	 2 2 2 	 2 	13 3 5 11 12 8 17	297 229 87 139 221 95 190 393	603 472 270 269 451 450 380 856	5.66 1.34 3.89 1.17 6.52 .48 1.58 1.08	1·30 ·38 30·29 4·36	6.97 7.58 13.51 7.42 3.01 .11 .67	8:27 9:89 6:66 12:29 6:39 6:98 2:42 2:36	1:39 :89 :93 1:17 3:84 :16 2:94 1:08	3.62 1.69 8.32 3.66 3.45 13.48 12.09 13.33	1:21 :26 :56 :73 1:41 1:90 :84 :87	16.10 20.34 28.26	42.07 49.97 39.36 57.68 71.36 39.94	35·25 34·07 31·43 40·97 39·70 34·79 49·52 37·94
1 1 1 	1	58 16 3 2 18 8 2 3 3 3 2	3 1 2 3 1	2	64 17 5 4 19 13 3 4 35 2	3,396 253 45 142 117 299 125 122 309 104	6,129 542 103 287 408 776 196 288 623 223	13 ·58 ·82 ·11 2·54 ·06	·62 ···· ·11 ·11 ·45	1.87 4.11 8.35 11.73 6.71 2.93 2.75 5.95	4.51 2.84 7.27 5.40 4.74 8.29 4.62 7.05 11.69	2.88 1.27 2.62 1.64 .68 1.37 1.55 1.58 2.42 3.40	7:91 8:21 4:94 6:88 13:42 7:92 4:51 8:68 6:45 3:83	·43 1·03 1·45 ·65 2·14 ·69 ·42 ·45 2·35 ·43	15.28 13.09 23.25 13.19 15.79 17.61 13.76 20.76	32.73 29.95 46.99 46.01 40.99 27.63 32.47 41.85	28·41 44·14 39·36 35·86 38·05 22·58 29·65 43·25
1	•••	1 11 23 4 15		•••	3 11 23 4 15	249 34 , 232 63 180	378 104 467 119 381	·93 ·46	···· ··08	3.68 3.20 .23 .11	2·26 4·74 10·79 8·50 7·80	1.41 .36 .42 .46 2.06	4.53 16.41 2.45 2.30 10.08	.28 4.01 1.94 .92 1.63	12.40 19.56	27.33	35·52 37·41
22	9	1,096	53	40	1,220	21,731	45,161	.99	·56	2.00	4.79	2.47	7.00	*98	17.42	36'21	36 52
70	50	1,118	1,413	17 8	2,829	81,319	166,382	·34	'11	11	7.24	54	·25	30	8'49	17'38	18'85
92	59	2,214	1,466	2 18	4,049	103,050	211,543	*42	·16	*32	6.96	·76	1'03	*37	9.52	19'55	20'86

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			921).									-	Fevers.
			nsus 1	Mal	laria.	Ente	eric.	Тур	hus.	Relapsi	ng Fever.		orospinal ingitis.
No.	Divisions and Town	S.	on (Ce										
			Population (Census 1921).	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.
	Arakan Divisio	N.											
1 2 3 4	Akyab Minbya Kyaukpyu Sandoway	•••	36,569 2,323 3,884 3,762	32 22 8	 .5.66 2.13	10	·27	•••		•••	•••	•••	•••
	PEGU DIVISION.												
5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13	Rangoon Pegu Nyaunglebin Tharrawaddy Thônzè Zigôn Letpadan Gyobingauk Minhla	•••	345,505 18,769 7,496 3,625 6,594 6,916 9,901 7,666 3,829	220 103 21 8 25 25 30 21	5·49 2·80 2·21 3·79 3·61 3·03 2·74	73	·21 ··27 ···				•••	10 1	28
14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21	Nattalin Syriam Thôngwa Insein Thamaing Kamayut Thingangyun Kanbe		4,898 15,193 8,153 14,308 4,109 6,483 5,389 5,2 2 0	3 1 	······································	2 1 	·13 ·12 ···					 5 	; 3 3
22 23 24	Prome Shwedaung Paungdè IRRAWADDY DIVIS	 	26,067 9,108 14,154	42 18 43	1.61 1.98 3.04	4 2	:15 :22 	•••	•••	•••	•••	1	
25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37	Bassein Ngathainggyaung Kyônpyaw Henzada Myanaung Kyangin Myaungmya Wakèma Moulmeingyun Ma-ubin Yandoon Danubyu Pyapôn		42,563 5,122 6,884 23,651 7,793 7,064 6,280 8,447 6,115 6,812 9,344 8,012 7,659	91 18 5 43 32 67 12 44 27 6 38 10 45	2:14 3:51 -73 1:82 4:11 9:48 1:91 5:21 4:42 -88 4:07 1:25 5:38	48 2 2 3 6 5 2 3 11	1·13 ·08 ·26 ·47 ·71 ·82 ·21 ·37 1·44	•••		grib		1 1	·02
.38	Kyaiklat TENASSERIM DIVIS	•••	9,224	49	5.31	17	1.84	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•
39 40 41 42 43	Thatôn Kyaikto Moulmein Kawkareik Tavoy	•••	15,091 7,168 61,301 6,587 27,480	7 75 70 29 12	'46 10'46 1'14 4'40 '44	25 	··· ·41 ··· ·0+	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••

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Death.	Ratio,	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.
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2 6 2 8 5 	·01 ·32 ·27 ··· ·81 ··· ·· ·12 ·35 ··· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·		•••	61 1 3 3 	·18	98 102 89 27 16 58 1 49 62 82 24 60 31 71 24 41 84 83	·28 5·43 11·87 7·45 2·43 5·86 ·13 12·80 12·66 5·40 2·94 4·20 7·54 10·95 4·45 7·85 3·22 ·88 2·31	464 211 114 36 41 25 96 22 49 62 93 29 69 31 71 24 41 132 29 78	1·34 11·24 15·21 9·93 6·22 3·61 9·70 2·87 12·80 12·66 6·12 3·56 4·82 7·54 10·95 4·45 7·85 5·06 3·18 5·15	601 27 15 4 10 12 18 13 7 9 15 7 41 5 42 19	1.74 1.44 2.00 1.10 1.52 1.74 1.81 1.70 1.84 1.84 1.99 1.86 2.87 1.77 1.38 1.61 1.32 1.34	439 33 12 1 7 3 2 1 9 1 2 10 7 1 13 12 1	1.27 1.76 1.60 .28 1.06 .43 .20 .13 2.35 .20 .13 1.23 .49 .15 .19 .50 1.32 .07
1 2 4 7 3	·02 ·08 ·64 ·83 ·33			13 7 2 1 4 2 10	·31 ···· ·30 ·26 ·14 ··· ·59 ··· ·25 ···30	22 1 75 36 9 9 14 13 17 2 12 	*52 *15 3.17 4.62 1.43 1.07 2.29 1.91 1.8225 1.57	176 18 6 129 72 68 28 66 46 23 58 17 68 79	4·14 3·51 ·87 5·45 9·24 9·63 4·45 7·81 7·52 3·38 6·21 2·12 8·88 8·56	129 6 5 22 44 20 12 15 17 5 12 20 35 11	3·03 1·17 ·73 ·93 5·65 2·83 1·91 1·78 2·78 ·73 1·28 2·50 4·57 1·20	72 15 1 9 15 10 8 16 25 5 8 12 18	1.70 2.92 .15 .38 1.92 1.42 1.27 1.89 4.09 .73 .86 1.57 1.95
5 2 	·33 ·03 ···		•••	•••		31 2 40 61 257	2:05 :28 :65 9:26 9:35	43 77 137 90 270	2.85 10.74 2.23 13.66 9.83	5 28 35 9 8	·33 3·91 ·57 1·37 ·29	18 11 25 15 5	1·19 1·53 ·41 2·28 ·18

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			921).										Fevers.
			ensus 16	Ма	ılaria.	Ent	eric.	Tyr	hus.	Relapsin	ng Fever	Cerebr meni	ospinal ingitis.
No.	Divisions and To	wns.	Population (Census 1921).	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.
	TENASSERIM DIV	VISION											
44 45	Mergui Toungoo	• • •	18,408 19,332	6 50	·33 2·59	1 7	·05		•••	•••		•••	•••
46 47	Shwegyin Pyu	• • •	5,7 5 8 6,676		7·12 4·79	2	·35	• • •	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••
	MAGWE DIVIS	ION.											
48 49	Thayetmyo Allanmyo	•••	10,768 11,219	40 8	3·71 ·71	2	·19		•••	•••	• . •	• • •	•••
50 51	Minbu Salin	• • •	5,403 6,834	15	2.78	4 4	·74 ·59	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••
.52 53	Magwe Taungdwingyi	•••	7,819 6,306		2·56 4·92			•••	•••	•••		•••	•••
54 55	Yenangyaung Pakôkku	•••	9,515 19,507	9 20	·95	7	•36	•••	•••	• • •	•••		
	MANDALAY DIV	ision.											
56 57	Mandalay Maymyo	•••	148,917 16,558	485 31	3·26 1·87	151	1.01 .24	• • •		•••	•••		·01
58 59	Myitngè Kyauksè	•••	3,439 6,107	1 30	·29 4·91	2 2	·58 ·33	• • •	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••
60	Meiktila Myingyan	•••	8,868 18,931	13 6	1.47 .32	3 2	·34 ·11	• • •	•••	•••	• • •	•••	•••
62 63	Nyaung-u Yamèthin	• • •	7,094 8,869	4 17	· 56 · 79	•••	• • •	• • •		•••	•••	•••	•••
64 65	Pyinmana Pyawbwè	•••	14,886 4,704	80 47	5·37 9·99	11	·74	• • • •	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••
	SAGAING DIVIS	ION.						•					
66 67	Shwebo Ye-u	• • •	10,605 2,742	3 8	·28 2·92	1 3	.09 1.09		• • •	-	•••	•••	•••
68	Sagaing Myinmu	• • •	11,858 4,354	21 36	1·77 8·27	9	·76 ·23	•••	•••	•••		•	•••
70	Mônywa		9,225	15	1.63	1.	'11	•••		•••	•••		•••
	Total of Towns,	Burma	1,247,220	2,373	1.10	441	.35	•••	•••	•••	•••	22	.02

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Measl	es.	Actu Poliomy	relitis•	Influe	nza.	Other i	evers.	Total f	evers.	Dyser	ntery.	Diarri	hœa.
Death.	Ratio.	Death,	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.
	 .05 	•••		 	 	292 49 	15.86 2.53 	299 110 43 32	16·24 5·69 7·47 4·79	19 31 19 13	1.03 1.60 3.30 1.95	8 29 5 11	.43 1.50 .87 1.65
₂	 '18 '19		·09 	2		46 101 14	4·27 9·00 2·59	89 111 36	8·27 9·89	7 9 4	.65 .80	8 1 1 5	·74 ·69
	•••				•••	78 30 13	3·84 2·06	50 44	6.39 6.98	3 11 1	1.41 1.16	19	·73 2·43
		2	:10	•••		14 10	1·47 ·51	23 46	2·42 2·36	23 12	2·42 ·62	5 9	·53 ·46
20	·13 			13 3	·09 ·18	1 4	·01 ·24	672 47	4·51 2·84	148 9	•99 •54	281 12	1·89 · 72
1	··· ·16	•••	•••	20	5.82	2	·58 	25 33	7·27 5·40	5 5	1·45 ·82	4 5	1·16 ·82
4	·45 	•••	•••	6	 	16 149	1.80 7.87	42 157	4·74 8·29	3 20	·34 1·06	3 6	·34 ·32
1 1	'14 '11			 21	2:37	2 2	·28 ·23	7 41	·99 4·62	6 10	.85 1.13	5 4	·70 ·45
,8	1.70	•••		•••	•••		·94 	105 55	7·05 11·69	23 11	1: 5 5 2:34	13 5	·87 1·06
•••	•••		•••	•••	•••	20 2	1·89 ·73	24 13	2·26 4·74	2	°19	13	1.23
•••		•••	•••	•••	•••	98	8.26	128 37	10·79 8·50	3	·25 ·23	2	·17 ·23
4	`43			•••	•••	52	5.64	72	7.80	11	1.19	8	·87
97	.08	3		177	.14	2,855	2:30	5,968	4.79	1,751	1.40	1,331	1.07

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						Respirato		es.			
			us 192.	Pulmo		1		Disease	s of the	Dipht	heria.
No.	Divisions and Towns.		Censi	Tuberc	ulosis.	Pneun	ionia.	Respirator	y System.		
110,			Population (Consus 1921).	:	·	۲.		<u>.e</u> :	·	j.	
			Popu	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Òeath.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.
	Arakan Division	Ţ.									
1	Akyab	• • •	36,569	23	.63	106	2.40	11	.30	•••	•••
3	Minbya Kyaukpyu	•••	2,323 3,884	₂	·51 1·06	 1 2	··26 ·53	2	 .53	•••	•••
4	Sandoway Pegu Division.	•••	3,762	- 4	1 00	2	55	2	55	•••	•••
5	Rangoon	• • •	345,505	901	2.61	1,626	4.71	851	2.46	10	.03
6 7	Pegu Nyaunglebin	•••	18,769 7,496	26	1.39	51 12	2.72	27 45	1·44 6·00	•••	•••
8	Tharrawaddy	•••	3,625 6,594	2 2	·55	4 9	1.10 1.36	. 1	·28 2·12	•••	•••
9	Thônzè Zigôn	•••	6,916	1	.14	6	.87	2 44	.29	•••	•••
11 12	Letpadan Gyobingauk	•••	9,901 7,666	2 4	·20 ·52	5 38	·50 4·96	13	4·44 1·70	•••	•••
13	Minhla Nattalin	•••	3,829 4,898	1		10	2.63	8	1'63	•••	•••
15	Syriam	•••	15,193	4	.26	15 13	·99 1·59	23	1·51 1·10	•••	•••
16 17	Thôngwa Insein	• • •	8,153 14,308	17	1.19	22	1.54	42	2.94	•••	•••
18 19	Thamaing Kamayut	•••	4,109 6,483	• • •	•••	• • •	• • •	9 17	2·19 2·62	•••	•••
20	Thingangyun	•••	5,389	1	19	•••	•••	12 16	2 ² 3 3.07	•••	•••
21 22	Kanbe Prome	•••	5,220 26,067	54	2.07	40	1.53	70	2.69		•••
23 24	Shwedaung Paungdè	•••	9,108 14,154	8 18	·88 1·27	30	3·29 ·64	6 56	.66 3.96	•••	•••
24	IRRAWADDY DIVISION		2 1,20								
25 26	Bassein Ngathainggyaung	•••	42,563 5,122	114 31	2.68 6.05	115 18	2·70 3·51	104 1	2·44 ·20	•••	•••
27	Kyônpyaw	• • •	6,884	3 31	1 31	2 32	·29 1·35	14 42	2.03 1.78	•••	•••
28 29	Henzada Myanaung	•••	23,651 7,793	13	1.67	9	1.12	15	1.92	•••	•••
30 31	Kyangin Myaungmya	•••	7,064 6,280		1.43	4 20	·57	5 1	.71 .16		·
32	Wakèma	•••	8,447	7	·83 5·40	20 23	2·37 3·76	41	4·85 ·49	•••	•••
33 34	Moulmeingyun Ma-ubin	•••	6,115 6,812	33 13	1.91	8	1.17	11	1.61		15
35 36	Yandoon Danubyu	•••	9,344 8,012	7	·75 ·87	4 5	·43 ·62	25 28	2.68 3.49	•••	•••
37	Pyapôn	•••	7,659	20 16	2.61 1.73	37 5	4·83 ·54	7	.91	•••	•••
38	Kyaiklat TENASSERIM DIVISI		9,224	10	1/3		31	•••	•••	•••	•••
39	Thatôn	•••	15,091	30	1.99	27	1.79	61	4.04	•••	•••
40 41	Kyaikto Moulmein	• • •	7,168 61,301	12 134	1.67 2.19	56	·84 ·91	151	2.46	•••	•••
42	Kawkareik	•••	6,587 27,480	8 7	1.21	20 13	3.03	34	.46 1.24	•••	•••
43	Tavoy	•••	1 27,100								

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Other Tuberc ous Diseases		Beri-beri i epidemic l	ncluding Dropsy	Lepro	sy:	Canc	er•	Deaths from Childbirth.	Deat	hs under year.	one	Infant Mortality Rate.	No.
Death.		Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Deaths fro	Male.	Female.	Total.	Infant Mor	
5 1'	29	206 2 	5.63			1 	·03	 6	160 6 4 11	132 7 7 7	292 13 11 18	515.90 260.00 119.57 162.16	1 2 3 4
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5 1 36 2 3	·33 ·14 ·59 ·30 ·11		·13 ·41 ···	1 1 2 	·07 ·14 ·03 ···	2 12 5 2	·:28 ·20 ·76 ·07	10 1 2 4 5	173 65	38 16 118 54 49	38 29 119	3 258·5 1 188·8 9 403·3	0 40 4 41 9 42

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			21).	N =		Respirat	ory disea	ses.			7
			isus 19	Pulmo	nary	Pneum	onia.	Diseases Respiratory		Dipht	heria.
No.	Divisions and Towns	50	Population (Census 1921).	Death.	Ratio•	 Death.	Ratio.	Death.	.Ratio.	Death.	Ratio
	TENASSERIM DIVIS —concld.	ION	-								
44 45	Mergui Toungoo	•••	18,408 19,332	3 40	·16 2·07	6 49	·33 2·53	26 32	1.41 1.66	•••	•••
46 47	Shwegyin Pyu		5,758 6,676	7 11	1.22 1.65	3 3	•52 •45	4 23	·69 3·45	•••	•••
ć	MAGWE DIVISIO	N.						100	1111	-	
48 49	Thayetmyo Allanmyo		10,768 11,219			18 14	1.67 1.25	21 4	1.95 .36		•••
50 51	Minbu Salin	•••	5,403 6,834	9	1.67 1.32	29 6	5·37 ·88	7 10	1·31 1·46		•••
52 53	Magwe Taungdwingyi	•••	7,819 6,306	6		18	2.30	3 85	·38 13·48		•••
54 55	Yenangyaung Pakôkku	•••	9,515 19,507	11 43	1·16 2·20	21 94	2·21 4·82	83 123	8·72 6·31		•••
	MANDALAY DIVIS	ION.									
56 57	Mandalay Maymyo	•••	148,917 1 6,558	247 25	1.66 1.21	414 75	2·78 4·53	517 36	3.47 2.17	5 1	·06
58 59	Myitngè Kyauksè	•••	3,439 6,107	4 10	1·16 1·64	5 21	1·45 3·44	8 11	· 2·33 1·80	•••	
60	Meiktila Myingyan	•••	8,868 18,931	13 6	1.47	6 45	·68 2·39	100 99	11.28 5.23	2	
62 63	Nyaung-u Yamèthin	•••	7,094 8,869	2 7	·28 ·79	9 65	1·27 7·33	21 5	2·96 ·56		•••
64	Pyinmana Pyawbwè	•••	14,886 4,704	19	1.28	62	4·16 	15 18	1.01 3.83		\
	SAGAING DIVISIO	ON.			,			-1	N.		- 1
66	Shwebo Ye-u	•••	10,605 2,742	3	·28 ···	5 1	·47 •36	40 44	3·77 16·05		
68	Sagaing Myinmu	•••	11,858 4,354	1 4	.08 .92	5	·42 	23 6	1.38 1.38	•••	•••
70	Mônywa		. 9,225	6	.65	34	3.69	53	5.75	•••	•••
	Total of Towns, B	urma	1,247,220	2,052	1.64	3,434	2.75	3,243	2.60	- 20	.02

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Other Tuberculous Diseases.		Beri-beri including Epidemic Dropsy•		Leprosy•		Cancer.		Childbirth.	Deaths under one year.			lity Rate.	No.
Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio.	Death.	Ratio,	Death.	Ratio.	Deaths from Childbirth.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Infant Mortality Rate.	
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3	·16	27	1·47 ·10			•••		· 8	94 39	60 30	154 69	282.05 163.12	44 45
	·17 	•••	•••		·17 	•••		1 3	25 17	14 16	39	284.67 180.33	46 47
: 4	·37 ·09	2	·19	3 1	.2 8	•••		4	70 29	51 30	121 59	500.00 296.48	48 49
1	15	•••	•••	2	·37 ·15	•••	•••	1 5	22 34	21 28	43 62	254·44 289·72	50 51
8 4	1.02	•••	•••	1 3	·13 ·48		•••	7 1	40 79	32 55	72 134	426 [.] 04 563 [.] 03	52 53
15 5	1.58 .26	2	·21 	13	·21 ·67	2	 '10	6 13	55 138	51 125	106 263	30 7·2 5 483·4 5	54 55
21 4	·14 ·24	13	.09	39	·26	1 7	·01 ·42	62	1,180 66	948 72	2,128 138	290·16 220·45	56 57
	 '16	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••		22 28	25 21	47 49	373·02 211·21	58 59
1 3	·11 ·16	•••		2 2	·22 ·11	2		5 13	64 129	55 85	119 214	383·87 374·78	60 61
1 4	·14 ·45		•••	. 3	·42 ·11	1 3	·14 ·34	1 1	23 59	16 41	39 100	225·43 367·65	62 63
3		1 7	·07 1·49	3	···64	4	·27 ·21	5 1	99 31	73 20	172 51	36·134 331·17	64 65
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6 	·51			2	·17 	•••		4	61 21	39 20	100 41	243·90 422·68	68
·5	54			4	•43	2	•22	3	80	52	132	389:38	70
303	•24	485	*39	173	14	92	•07	315	5,620	4,537	10,157	291.01	. 6,

Annual Statement No. VII.—Deaths registered from Cholera in the

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1	and the second second second	Circles of Registration.		Village-tracts.								
No.	Divisions and Districts.	Number in each district.	Number from which deaths from cholera were reported.	Number in each district.	Number from which deaths from cholera were reported.	January.	February,	March.	April.	May.	June	
1 2 3	ARAKAN DIVISION. Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway	11 6 6	 1	871 355 178	61	40 	•••	1	 	•••	61	
4 5 6 7 8 9	PEGU DIVISION. Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	1 16 16 9 9	1 6 16 5 6 14	1 456 556 470 376 446	1 20 62 16 16 148	5 36 2 17	28 24 6 1 5	12 . 1 2 	10 · 3 7 9 6 ···	7 1 5 3 3 4	3 1 25 3 6 60	
10 11 12 13 14	IRRAWADDY DIVISION: Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn TENASSERIM	15 9 9 7 6	14 9 9 7 6	691 596 591 314 376	87 119 48 71 12	30 5	7 23 22 26	42 153 34 129 24	108 11 44 132 26	49 83 23 94 18	24 98 6 32 2	
15 16 17 18 19	DIVISION. Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	13 10 6 6 15	7 9 7	387 350 180 148 563	21 52 7	84 1	7 73 	9 4 	•••	10 3	20	
20 21 22 23	MAGWE DIVISIÓN. Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku	12 10 9 9	7 9 9 4	643 341 468 743	20 37 119 37	15 113 54 66	1 1 6 6	 	 	 2 	3: 2: 55	
24 25 26 27 28	Mandalay Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	10 5 5 9 11	6 4 1 4 6	336 278 401 197 359	8 40 3 9 12	23 80 2 22	4 14 3 21	1 4 	 1 	4	1 1 5	
29 30 31	Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin	10 8 8 8	1 7 2	634 283 362	1 21 3 1,052	43 5	3 282	₁	358	309	2 375	
	Total, Burma	290	185	12,950	1,032		And the special party of the second	tunden derek appropriese	· ·· value and in the		and the resident indicate the said	

Districts of Burma during each month of the year 1927. (Paragraph 17.)

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July,	August.	September.	October.	November.	December	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio o	Lemales.	Total.	Mean ratio. per 1,000 of previous five years.	No.
 	•••	 	 ;··	•••		46 1	61	107 	·15 ···· ·02	·23 	.19 01	·53 ·40 ·02	1 2 3
31 5 66	1 166 63	5 2 56 1 103	3 150 162	3 185 83	5 1 30 6 24	71 26 410 14 23 319	13 6 288 4 16 264	84 32 698 18 39 583	·30 ·11 1·66 ·07 ·15 1·75	· 12 ·03 1·17 ·02 ·12 1·40	·24 ·07 1·42 ·05 ·13 1·57	·38 ·34 ·28 ·21 ·31 ·65	4 5 6 7 8 9
33 60 	7 76 	1 10 	30	79	28 7 2 1	155 408 102 250 50	116 273 34 170 21	271 681 136 420 71	.61 1.49 .52 1.48 .32	·49 ·98 ·20 1·05 ·16	.55 1.24 .37 1.27 .25	·61 ·52 ·43 ·93 ·87	10 11 12 13 14
1 -	 2		•••	 1 	•••	29 104 17	18 58 4	47 162 21	·12 ·47 ·09	.08 .30 .02	·10 ·39 ··· ·05	16 14 04 26 20	15 16 17 18 19
59 5	18 10	 7 5	5 17 44 9	7 175 79 12	32 23 57 7	76 174 185 67	69 155 66 58	145 329 251 125	.61 1.29 .87 .30	.53 1.11 .31 .24	·57 1·20 ·59 ·27	*38 *71 *40 *55	20 21 22 23
5 1	1 2 1	 1 4	 7	22	 1	28 66 2 20 26	11 36 1 14 27	39 102 3 34 53	·15 ·94 ·01 ·09 ·16	.06 .50 .01 .06 .17	*11 *71 *01 *08 *16	-39 -74 -57 -47 -31	24 25 26 27 28
1 1 .:::	•••	···	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	11	 9 •••	36 5	1 32 2	1 68 7	··· ·23 ·03	 *19 *01	···· ·21 ·02	05 47 52	29 30 31
271	347	200	428	657	233	2,710	1,818	4,528	:49	*34	:42	;42	

Annual Statement No. VIII.—Deaths registered from Small-pox in the

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-	2		Registration	Village								
No.	Divisions and Districts.	Number in each district.	Number from which deaths from small-pox were reported.	Number in each district.	Number from which deaths from small-pox were reported,	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.
							:				1	
1 2 3	ARAKAN DIVISION. Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway	11 6 6	 	871 355 178	10 	•••	•••	3	8	12	5	22
4 5 6 7 8 9	Rangoon Pegu Division. Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	1 16 16 9 9	1 13 4 8 5 3	1 456 556 470 376 446	1 99 5 36 16 19	5 23 4	19 7 1 1 25	42 12 3 27 6 6	54 10 1 21 8 8	21 11 2 5 6 11	19 18 1	12: 19: 2: 3: 3: 2:
	IRRAWADDY DIVISION											
10 11 12 13 14	Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	15 9 9 7 6	2 3 1 3 4	691 596 591 314 376	2 5 1 7 4	•••		2 3	1 3 1	1 1 1	3 3	3 6. 3.
	TENASSERIM DIVISION	г.										
15 16 17 18 19	Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	13 10 6 6 15	4 1 11	387 350 180 148 563	11 3 48	2	7 8	6	3 6	5	2 6	6
	MAGWE DIVISION.											· .
20 21 22 23	Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku	12 10 9	4 8 5	643 341 468 743	5 139 29	•••	1	53 2	 117 36	 113 45	3 42 18	7
	MANDALAY DIVISION											
24 25 26 27 28	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	10 5 5 9 11	4 1 4 8 6	336 278 401 197 359	11 1 10 34 16	5 2	8 11 8	13 3 3	28 2 6 29 1	27 27 4	16 6 7	1 8 4
29 30 31	SAGAING DIVISION. Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin	10 8 8	8 7 7	634 283 362	26 43 28	1 1 2	14 1 4	5 2 19	24 9 7	6 9 14	10 4 15	2° 5
en:	Total, Burma	290	131	12,950	609			210	385	325	178	124

Districts of Burma during each month of the year 1927. (Paragraph 17 and 20).

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	1				· ·	Total.		Number deaths amou	of these ng children.	Ratio of of	deaths p	er 1,000 n.	JC	
August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Males.	Females,	Total.	Under 1 year.	One and under 10 years.	Males,	Females.	Total.	Mean ratio per 1,000 of previous five years.	No.
8	4	10		5	46	31	77 		 	.15 	.: :::	·13 	.33 .13 .22	1 2 3
4 2 3 1	 2 7 2 	3 10 1	1 3 1 	21 3 1	145 68 10 32 12 24	58 57 28 15 33	203 125 10 60 27 57	18 19 1 2 1	31 61 2 1 6 6	·61 ·29 ·04 ·16 ·08 ·13		·59 ·28 ·02 ·16 ·09 ·15	·70 ·31 ·11 ·12 ·15 ·27	4 5 6 7 8 9
1 1	3	6 1		•••	3 4 2 10 16		7 5 2 13 18	 1 	 10	.01 .01 .01 .06 .10	·02 ·02 ·02 ·02	·01 ·01 ·01 ·04 ·06	·06 ·11 ·11 ·20 ·21	10 11 12 13 14
2 9	1 6	2 9	3	34	13 1 63	13 2 42	26 3 105	 	1	·05 ·01 	·06 ···03 ···23	 .02 .27	·15 ·10 ·01 ·09 09	15 16 17 18 19
10 6 6	8 1 1	7	3 13	12 7	23 220 71	20 120 58	43 340 129	37 17	89 55	1.04 32	15 57 24	:17 :80 :28	·28 ·54 ·38 ·21	20 21 22 23
3 2 2 2 2		1 2		2 3	66 1 11 55 16	41 1 12 30 8	107 2 23 85 24	10 1 15 	38 14 42 5	36 01 07 26 10	· 24 · 01 · 08 · 13 · · 05	'30 '01 '08 '19 '07	.40 .15 .24 .75	24 25 26 27 28
2 2 3	1 1 12	3 5 10	1 5 3	5 1 5	38 28 54	36 17 40	74 45 94	2 2 2	9,89	21 18 34	'17 '10 '21	·19 ·14 ·27	'14 '37 '16	29 30 31
69	49	70	35	99	1,032	672	1,704	148	407	19	.13	16	•24	

ANNUAL STATEMENT No. IX.—Deaths registered from Fevers in the

1	2	1	3,	1	4	1						
	3		Circles o	f Regis-	Village-	tracts.	1	1	1		1	
No.	Divisions and Distric	cts.	Number in each district.	Number from which deaths from fevers were reported.	Number in each district.	Number from which deaths from fevers were reported.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	ARAKAN DIVIŞIC	on.										
1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway Pegu Divisio	 on.	11 6 · 6	11 6 6	871 355 178	530 324 178	576 74 101	367 100 38	536 67 224	407 110 95	391 101 46	643 85 157
4 5 6 7 8 9	Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	•••	1 16 16 9 9	1 16 16 9 9 14	456 556 470 376 446	1 433 523 470 368 345	27 230 377 109 200 426	32 108 279 87 152 217	33 222 416 80 151 214	40 172 412 125 194 356	38 147 257 126 129 201	35 226 379 92 87 380
	IRRAWADDY DIVI	sion.						1 1 2		1 1	,	и.
10 11 12 13 14	Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	•••	15 9 9 7 6	15 9 9 7 6	691 596 591 314 376	686 503 509 280 361	198 246 84 54 119	150 182 75 62 140	125 246 80 73 80	223 203 120 85 107	177 173 146 65 135	236 266 155 74 162
	TENASSERIM DIV	ISION.										1
15 16 17 18 19	Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	•••	13 10 6 6 15	13 10 6 6 15	387 350 180 148 563	387 350 180 148 543	202 123 98 139 206	343 113 102 156 152	289 118 148 124 255	144 -64 153 -72 197	250 78 138 78 195	254 118 277 131 217
	MAGWE DIVISI	ON.	:									
20 21 22 23	Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku	•••	12 10 9	12 10 9 9	643 341 468 743	602 341 421 742	158 364 132 261	86 215 132 226	378 161 133 257	132 151 232 283	185 167 113 366	271 149 132 280
	MANDALAY DIVI	sion.	,									
24 25 26 27 28	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	•••	10 5 5 9 11	10 5 5 9 11	336 278 401 197 359	336 278 375 171 323	278 217 87 147 194	147 106 61 73 180	117 77 55 75 175	252 115 33 82 172	126 88 67 74 140	145 87 91 65 154
	SAGAING DIVIS	ION.										
29 30 31	Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwi	n	10 8 8	10 8 8	634 283 362	622 117 362	325 156 195	191 112 159	257 126 159	179 97 299	189 85 179	358 98 290
	Total	**	290	290	12,950	11,809	6,103	4,523	5,451	5,306	4,650	6,094

Districts of Burma during each month of the year 1927. (Paragraph 24.)

			g		1	garagas spiritina varietinina atrottos.	6	.0 2	i disellation rem	7		8	1
1	1	1	1		A-1	Total.			Ratio of of po	deaths peopulation	er 1,000	.000 ears.	
fuly.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Mean ratio per 1,000 of previous five years.	No.
734 233 56	640 137 23	1,169 149 193	634 114 69	566 117 33	1,008 106 300	3,904 695 645	3,767 698 690	7,671 1,393 1,335	12.66 7.20 11.66	14.18 6.76 12.16	13·36 6·97 11·92	12·50 6·79 11·16	1 2 3
38 208 396 125 198 348	40 230 410 81 133 310	44 234 354 90 116 366	52 189 422 104 204 282	37 259 461 214 218 394	48 347 455 184 204 404	358 1,558 2,476 885 1,175 1,999	106 1,014 2,142 532 811 1,903	464 2,572 4,618 1,417 1,986 3,902	1.50 6.62 10.05 4.40 7.59 10.94	.99 4.82 8.70 3.25 6.02 10.08	1.34 5.77 9.38 3.89 6.86 10.50	1.64 5.48 9.05 4.53 6.38 9.53	4 5 6 7 8 9
338 276 182 55 93	267 275 116 57 117	210 313 115 57 155	419 276 121 84 73	395 265 135 101 140	399 449 170 82 125	1,679 1,685 940 475 846	1.458 1,485 559 374 580	3,137 3,170 1,499 849 1,426	6.64 6.16 4.78 2.82 5.40	6·16 5·35 3·22 2·31 4·38	6·41 5·75 4·05 2·57 4·93	5·13 6·74 4·46 3·54 4·89	10 11 12 13 14
182 141 178 84 228	250 130 157 86 281	300 99 127 78 241	184 141 147 164 282	259 135 230 191 275	250 144 381 161 524	1,523 821 1,104 757 1,756	1,384 583 1,032 707 1,297	2,907 1,404 2,136 1,464 3,053	6.19 3.68 13.63 10.39 8.89	6·15 3·00 13·62 11·30 7·03	6.17 3.36 13.62 10.81 7.99	6·23 3·52 14·88 10·08 8·36	15 16 17 18 19
154 232 105 423	151 195 134 406	365 252 221 374	174 438 266 375	349 537 286 399	884 746 203 439	1,653 1,882 1,184 2,143	1,634 1,725 910 1,946	3,287 3,607 2,094 4,089	13·19 13·99 5·59 9·57	12.56 12.34 4.30 8.05	12.87 13.15 4.95 8.77	10.63 11.22 2.18 9.10	20 21 22 23
232 115 107 111 260	81 93 72		202 126 111 149 169	271 125 85 108 249	292 128 133 90 305	1,376 707 563 609 1,286	1,131 630 426 505 1,067	2,507 1,337 989 1,114 2,353	7·51 10·04 4·09 2·86 7·99	6.51 8.72 2.80 2.21 6.58	7·03 9·37 3·41 2·52 7·28	8·51 11·66 3·92 3·76 6·92	24 25 26 27 28
353 116 293	84	89	345 125 284	248 145 176	352 179 339	1,636 756 1,459	1,678 656 1,356	3,314 1,412 2,815	8.86 4.88 9.31	8·12 3·82 7·28	8·47 4·32 8·21	7:97 5:87 7:61	29 30 31
6,594	5,862	6,770	6,725	7,403	9,840	40,535	34,786	75,32	7.31	6.29	6.96	7.00	

Annual Statement No. X.—Deaths registered from Dysentery and Diarrhæa

31	2		1	3		4	1	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,				
			Circ	eles of tration.	Villag	e-tracts.		1	1	1	1	1
No.	Divisions and Distric	cts.	Number in each a district.	Number from which deaths from dysentery and diarrhœa were reported.	Number in each district.	Number from which deaths from dysentery and diarrhœa were reported.	January.	February.	March,	April.	May.	June,
	ARAKAN DIVISIO	N.										
1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway		11 6 6	11 6 . 6	871 355 178	127 66 56	27 11 5	15 4 1	21 6 9	52 5 3	45 16 1	95 7 19
	PEGU DIVISION	٧٠.						(*)				
4 5 6 7 8 9	Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome		1 16 16 9 9	1 .15 16 9 7 14	1 456 556 470 376 446	1 55 192 133 49 178	73 18 9 16 7 16	70 9 10 . 17 2 7	69 16 14 13 8 3	73 8 6 18 5 9	92 8 31 23 10 16	136- 23 33- 17 8 47
-	IRRAWADDY DIVIS	ION.										
10 11 12 13 14	Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn		15 ['] 9 9 7 6	15 9 9 7 6	691 596 591 314 376	238 324 200 25 42	18 41 18 8 15	25 29 31 15 23	27 44 50 6 12	43 28 32 7 21	53 52 63 13 31	51 99 48 13 30
	TENASSERIM DIVIS	ION.										
15 16 17 18 19	Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo		13 10 6 6 15	13 10 6 5 12	387 350 180 148 563	277 110 46 121 35	28 20 7 12 8	. 48 14 4 . 22 5	12 35 8 11 9	· 37 15 11 11 10	31 21 5 8 12	34 30 3 8 13
	MAGWE DIVISIO	N.										
20 21 22 23	Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku		12 10 9 9	11 10 9 9	643 341 468 743	28 96 51 227	7 16 18 17	8 10 8 22	3 6 6 16	6 5 3 7 17	6 6 3 22	8 9 15 17
	MANDALAY DIVISI	on.										
24 25 26 27 28	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin		10 5 5 9 11	7 5 5 8 11	336 278 401 197 359	17 29 38 93 57	36 17 9 16 5	20 4 5 6	18 2 4 7	27 2 2 2 11 5	27 5 7 5	35 3 16 6 24
29 30 31	SAGAING DIVISION Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin	 	10 8 8	8 8 7	634 283 362	37 59 27	.4 12 12-	7 1 10	10 1 6	10 8 4	8 6 4	11 14 11
mystering — an	Total		290	275	12,950		526	452	452	528	630	883

in the Districts of Burma during each month of the year 1927. (Paragraph 26.)

_	5	•				1		6			7		8	1
5	1	1	1		I			Total.		Ratio of of p	deaths pe	r 1,000	o	
-	July.	August.	September.	October.	November,	December.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Mean ratio per 1,000 previous five years.	No.:
	59 16 	72 20 .2	81 10 16	49 - · 9 4	41	-40 11	348 54 44	249 51 27	597 105 71	1·13 ·56 ·80	·94 ·49 ·48	1·04 ·53 ·63	·93 ·86 · 7 9	1; 2; 3,
	157 23 73 24 25 94	101 ⁻ 20 53 5 15 88	67 9 36 6 9 59	59 2 60 ·4 5 13	59 4 54 8 10 62	84 16 36 11 10 21	696 110 251 85 78 244	344 46 164 77 36 191	1,040 156 415 162 114 435	2·92 ·47 1·01 ·42 ·50 1·33	3·22 ·22 ·67 ·47 ·27 1·01	3.01 .35 .84 .44 .39 1.17	3·33 ·36 ·78 ·69 ·54 ·89	4- 5- 6- 7- 8- 9
	70 88 48 12 26	73 123 44 -9 23	31 77 25 6 34	39 55 23 10 22	34 29 17 5 20	48 74 21 13 19	337 413 264 64 165	175 326 156 53 111	512 739 420 117 276	1.33 1.51 1.34 .38 1.05	32 1.17 90 33 84	1.05 1.34 1.13 .35 .96	.87 .71 1.22 .73 .92	10° 11 12° 13° 14°
	32 23 2 23 13	43 32 7 18 28	42 16 3 9 18	50 13 9 16 11	50 13 6 25 16	49 7 12 15 9	255 138 42 107 77	201 101 35 71 75	456 239 77 178 152	1.04 .62 .52 1.47 .39	·89 ·52 ·46 1·13 ·41	·97 ·57 ·49 1·31 ·40	.82 1.06 .77 1.35 .57	15 16 17 18 19
The state of the s	9 23 19 69	14 15 15 43	16 9 18 39	4 22 16 37	25 9 12 43	12 15 3 30	74 84 113 198	44 61 57 174	118 145 170 372	·62 ·53	·34 ·44 ·27 ·72	·46 ·53 ·40 ·80	'34 '51 '32 '91	20 21 22 23
	61 4 15 12 35	44 5 12 10 26	6	41 7 4 6 7	54 ••• 4 12 9	80 1 5 22 7	260 22 39 65 90	218 25 44 52 60	478 47 83 117 150	· 31 · 28 · 30	1:26 :35 :29 :23 :37	1.34 .33 .29 .26 .46	.1·22 ·12 ·19 ·32 ·26	25 26 27 28
	25 10 14	26 • 5 • 5	29 3 12	11 7 8	7 7 5	9 10 6	80 47 55	77 37 42	157 84 97	30	·37 ·22 ·23	·40 ·26 ·28	·26 ·77 ·20	30.
	1,164	996	748	62 3	641	696	4,899	3,380	8,279	88	.64	76	.77	

ANNUAL STATEMENT No. XI.—Deaths registered from Respiratory Diseases

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1,	2	Circ	les of							-	-
No.	Divisioņs and Districts.	Number in each district.	Number from which a deaths from respira-	Number in each district,	Number from which deaths from respirations diseases were reported.	January.	February.	March,	April.	May.	June.
	D										
	ARAKAN DIVISION.										
1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway	11 6 6	10 3 6	871 355 178	78 - 13 - 42	60	23 1 5	61 ••• 4	24 1 5	29 4 2	30 1 7
	PEGU DIVISION.									1	***
4 5 6 7 8 9	Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	1 16 16 9 9	1 5 16 8 8 10	1 456 556 470 376 446	1 5 87 87 11 19	277 13 18 8 5 21	237 23 21 11 15 23	309 23 26 20 12 26	325 11 14 14 7 21	. 275 11 17 9 11 14	267 9 29 15 9
	IRRAWADDY DIVISION.										
10 11 12 13 14	Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	15 9 9 7 6	11 9 9 7 6	691 596 591 314 376	29 116 31 31 29	35 26 12 20 19	40 25 5 15 18	53 59 15 11 7	31 25 13 11 10	38 59 25 14 26	55 48 17 15 7
	TENASSERIM DIVISION.										
15 16 17 18 19	Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	13 10 6 6 15	13 10 5 3 11	387 350 180 148 563	159 137 29 31 11	10 38 6 7 20	13 37 4 5 15	11 39 4 8 24	· 29 40 6 5	24 47 3 6 10	38 53 11 1 14
	MAGWE DIVISION.									•	
20 21 22 23	Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakôkku	12 10 9	6 9 8 8	643 341 468 743	13 28 38 62	12 11 24 31	3 6 15 16	1 7 12 28	1 5 19 32	5 5 17 22	34 30
	MANDALAY DIVISION.		the .	,		1					
24 25 26 27 28	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	10 5 5 9 11	6 3 5 7 6	336 278 401 197 359	17 3 31 27 7	118 7 24 12 19	78 2 7 11 13	108 1 9 9 9 20	99 5 9 8 19	89 10 14 11	96 2 21 15 21
	SAGAING DIVISION.				1		3				
29 30 31	Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin	10 8 8	7 8 7	634 283 362	21 23 18	13 9 11	6 2 7	15 4 5	9 3 11	9	18 1 9
	Total	2 90	231	12,950	1,234	893	702	931	825	828	896

in the Districts of Burma during each month of the year 1927. (Paragraph 27.)

5				9.00			6			7		8	1
July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Mean ratio per 1,000 of previous five years.	No.
47 2 1	34 3	77 5 8	59 3 4	71 2 2	52 1 12	345 10 36	222 10 24	567 20 60	1·12 ·10 ·65	·84 ·10 ·42	·99 ·10 ·54	*83 *07 *23	1 2 3
256 13 25 17 4 26	250 9 22 7 5 32	261 14 23 9 7 19	310 12 25 10 26 31	332 17 36 13 24 45	279 9 23 14 23 40	2,270 100 155 96 91 171	1,108 64 124 51 57 144	3,378 164 279 147 148 315	9·51 ·42 ·67 ·48 ·59 ·94	10.38 .30 .50 .31 .42 .76	9:78 :37 :57 :40 :51 :85	9.70 .40 .90 .81 .57 1.11	4 5 6 7 8 9
39 38 19 14 25	40 19 17 20 20	42 19 13 16 28	43 30 11 18 21	32 23 37 18 24	34 22 28 16 18	289 216 110 101 136	193 187 92 87 87	482 403 202 188 223	1.14 .79 .56 .60 .87	·83 ·67 ·53 ·54 ·66	·98 ·73 ·55 ·57 ·77	.78 .67 .58 .75 .64	10 11 12 13 14
26 40 13 · 3 8	34 53 7 17	32 57 5 11 11	46 48 17 14 11	47 60 7 8 28	50 38 11 8 10	190 348 66 46 113	170 202 21 37 68	360 550 87 83 181	.77 1.56 .81 .63 .57	.75 1.04 .28 .59 .37	.76 1.32 .55 .61 .47	.45 1.25 .71 .83 .47	15 16 17 18 19
12 9 50 36	6 12 24 25	9 9 43 24	, 6 11 22 39	11 21 38 41	10 29 25 38	43 75 188 199	34 55 135 163	77 130 323 362	*34 *56 *89 *89	*26 *39 *64 *67	·30 ·47 ·76 ·77	.26 .58 .43 .47	20 21 22 23
116 2 21 29 28	80 14 6 16	86 4 7 22 7	112 9 25 22 15	168 3 19 37 7	208 9 13 36 19	796 22 103 141 113	562 22 76 80 82	1,358 44 179 221 195	4·35 ·31 ·75 ·66 ·70	3·24 ·30 ·50 ·35 ·51	3.81 .31 .62 .50	4·11 ·42 ·38 ·49 ·75	24 25 26 27 28
15	14 5 16	11	18 5 12	24 16 9	13 26 10	104 39 81	74 32 48	178 71 129	:56 :25 :52	·36 ·19 ·26	'45 '22 '38	62 80 36	29 30 31
949	807	894	1,035	1,220	1,124	6,793	4,311	11,104	1.53	*82	1.03	1.04	

ANNUAL STATEMENT No. XII.—Deaths registered from Plague in the

	2	1 :	3	4	.						
1.		_	les of	Village				1	1		
No.	Divisions and Districts.	Number in each district,	Number from which deaths from Plague were reported.	Number in each district.	Number from which deaths from Plague were reported.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
	ARAKAN DIVISION.		1								
1 2 3	Akyab Kyaukpyu Sandoway	6	•••	871 355 178	••• •••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••
	PEGU DIVISION.										
4 5 6 7 8 9	Rangoon Pegu Tharrawaddy Hanthawaddy Insein Prome	16 16 9 9	1 8 11 1 2 9	1 456 556 470 376 446	1 20 14 1 6 16	18 12 86 24 72	23 21 136 20 94	9 6 94 5 78	10 2 17 1 6	13 2 3 	12 2 1
	IRRAWADDY DIVISION	т.									
10 11 12 13	Bassein Henzada Myaungmya Ma-ubin Pyapôn	9 9 7	13 7 4 3- 2	691 596 591 314 376	18 17 7 3 3	26 10 3 1	49 49 1 3	26 61 1 2 7	48 26 3 16	15 5 8 9	28 7 3
	TENASSERIM DIVISIO	N.									
15 16 17 18 19	Thatôn Amherst Tavoy Mergui Toungoo	. 10 . 6 . 6	6 3	387 350 180 148 563	3	 6	 5	2 11	8	28	28
	MAGWE DIVISION.										
20 21 22 23	Thayetmyo Minbu Magwe Pakkôku	. 10	5 2 4 1	643 341 468 743	10 3 5 1	 9 3 	 43 13 	3 16 33 	1 5 1		
	MANDALAY DIVISION	r.							(
24 25 26 27 28	Mandalay Kyauksè Meiktila Myingyan Yamèthin	5 5 9 11	5 2 5 3 10	336 278 401 197 359	5 3 41 7 36	12 18 23	35 10 11	95 12 15	29 2 1		 1
29 30 31	SAGAING DIVISION Shwebo Sagaing Lower Chindwin	. 10	, 4 5 4	634 283 362	10 14 6	₆	8 8 2	5 6 3	2 1 	4 1 	•••
	Total .	. 290	120	12,950	262	334	536	490	179	95	88

Districts of Burma during each month of the year 1927. (Paragraphs 17 and 22);

5				- 17			6			7		. 8	1
							Total.		Ratio of of	deaths p	er 1,000 on.	Jo (
July,	August.	September.	October.	November	December.	. Males.	Fcmales.	Total.	Males.	Females,	Total.	Mean ratio per 1,000 of previous five years.	No.
•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	···			•••	•••	•••	•••	 	1 2 3
22 4 8 7	13 9 1 17	9 2 1 7	13 1 14	13 1 11 1 24	13 3 71 42	129 24 272 1 29 202	39 29 167 22 163	168 53 439 1 51 365	·54 ·10 1·10 ·19 1·11	·37 ·14 ·68 ·16 ·86	·49 ·12 ·89 ··· ·18 ·98	2·29 ·19 ·78 ·04 ·30 1·25	4 5 6 7 8 9
43 26 1 2	25 23 1 3	12 5 2	2 4 1 	8 9 	8 16 	159 121 9 9 22	131 120 8 3 19	290 241 17 12 41	·63 ·44 ·05 ·05 ·14	·55 ·43 ·05 ·02 ·14	·59 ·44 ·05 ·04 ·14	·65 ·37 ·23 ·44 ·29	10 11 12 13 14
7 	2 	5 	 		6	52	45 5	97	·21 ·09	20	·21 ·06	·21 ·15 ···· ···· ···23	15 16 17 18 19
	34	12 5 	2	40 29 9	50 31 35 13	74 73 71 5	87 60 30 8	161 133 101 13	·59 ·54 ·34 ·02	·67 ·43 ·14 ·03	·63 ·48 ·24 ·03	 .18 .19	20 21 22 23
3 1 7	22 2 1 	17 2 21 8	23 5 41 1 21	25 7 88 41 16	85 33 198 140 62	170 . 56 171 . 89 . 96	181 34 180 93 72	351 90 351 182 168	.93 .79 1.24 .42 .60	1.04 .47 1.18 .41 .44	.98 .63 1.21 .41 .52	2.68 .45 1.43 .15 .70	24 25 26 27 28
1 2	. 1 . 1	4 12 1	12 1	11 10 10	13 30 2	36 38 13	28 38 8	64 76 21	·19 ·25 ·08	14 22 04	.16 .23 .06	·47 ·62 ·58	29 30 31
146	162	125	149	353	851	1,938	1,570	3,508	.35	.30	.32	.51	

Annual Statement No. VI (a) (Provincial), showing Births, Birth-rate, and Infantile Mortality Statistics of Towns having a population of 10,000 or over for the year 1927.

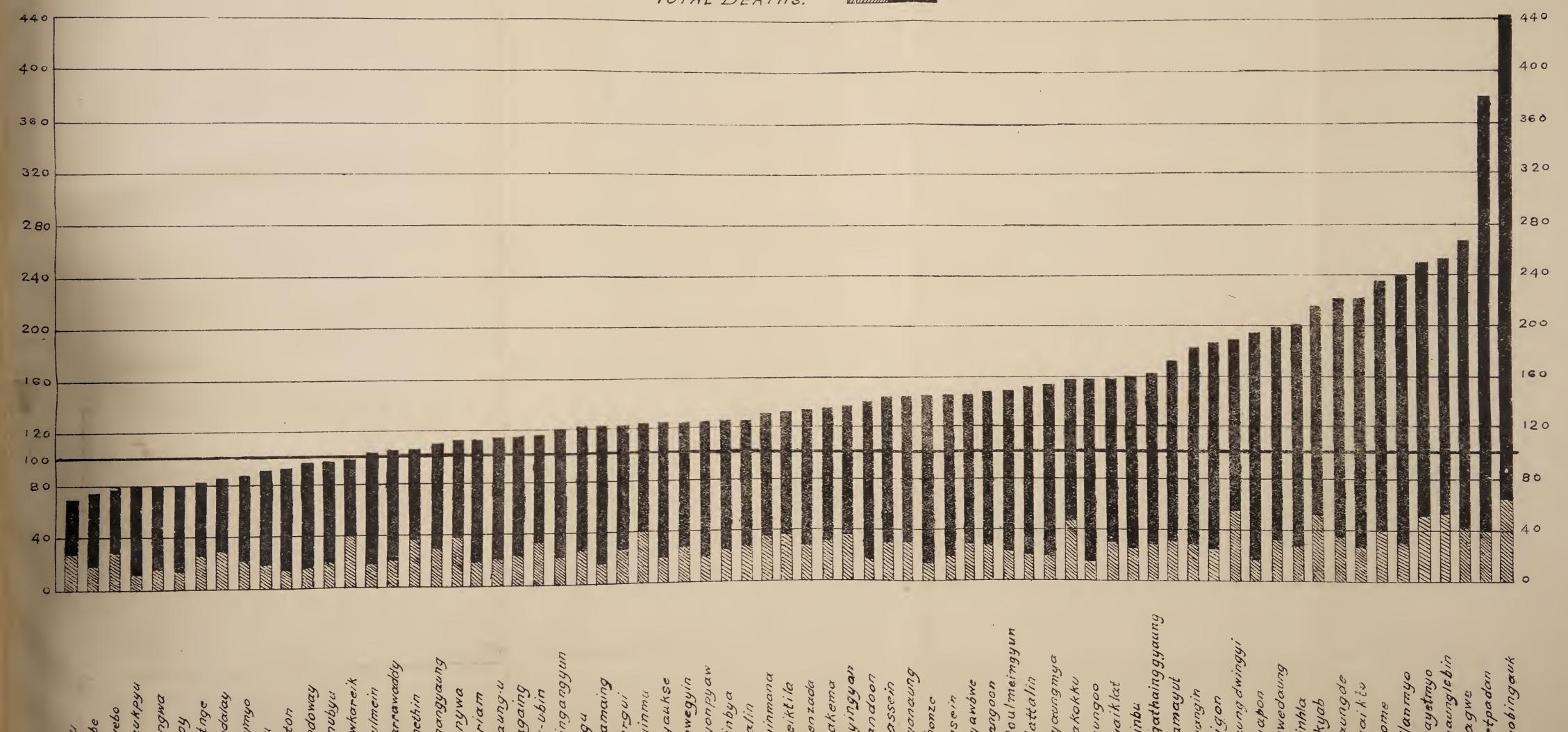
1	2		3		4	-	5	1	6			7	
					Births.		D: (1	Deaths	s under o	ne year.	Infantile	e mortalit	y rate.
No.	Towns.		Popula• tion.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Birth- rate.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
-													
1	Rangoon	•••	345,505	3,785	3,531	7,316	21.17	1,160	990	2,150	306.47	280.37	293.88
2	Akyab		36,569	298	268	566	15.48	160	132	292	536.91	492.54	515.90
3	Pegu		18,769	372	2 86	658	35.06	102	80	182	274.19	279.72	276.60
4	Syriam		15,193	170	134	304	20.01	37	23	60	217.65	171.64	197:37
5	Insein	•••	14,308	154	146	300	20.97	41	16	57	266.23	109:59	190.00
6	Prome		26,067	301	251	552	21.18	120	104	224	398.67	414.34	405°8 0
7	Paungdè		14,154	112	142	254	16.76	49	42	91	437.50	295.77	358.27
8	Bassein	•••	42,563	648	585	1,233	28.97	217	165	382	334.88	282.05	3 0 9·81
9	Henzada	•••	23,651	375	364	739	31.25	127	97	224	338.67	266.48	303.11
10	Thatôn		15,091	253	261	514	34.06	35	38	73	138.34	145.59	142.02
11	Moulmein	•••	61,301	792	749	1,541	25.14	173	118	291	218:43	157.54	188.84
12	Tavoy	•••	27,480	422	427	849	30.90	76	49	125	180.09	114.75	147.23
13	Mergui	,	18,408	293	253	546	29.66	94	60	154	320.82	237.15	282.05
14	Toungoo	•••	19,332	223	200	423	21.88	39	30	69	174.89	150.00	163.12
15	Thayetmyo	•••	10,768	130	112	242	22.47	70	51	121	538.46	455.36	500.00
16	Allanmyo	,	11,219	97	102	199	17.73	29	30	59	298.97	294.12	296.48
17	Pakôkku	•••(19,507	243	301	544	27.89	138	125	263	567.90	415.28	483.45
18	Mandalay	•••	148,917	3,817	3,517	7,334	49.25	1,180	948	2,128	309.14	269.55	290.16
19	Maymyo	•••	16,558	285	341	626	37.81	66	72	138			220.45
20	Myingyan	•••	18,931	281	290	571	30.16	129	85	214			374.78
21	Pyinmana	•••	14,886	255	221	476	31.98	* 99	73	172			362.11
22	Shwebo	•••	10,605	260	234	494	46.28	82	59	141			285.43
23	Sagaing	•••	11,858	217	193	410	34.58	61	39	100	281.11	202.07	243.90
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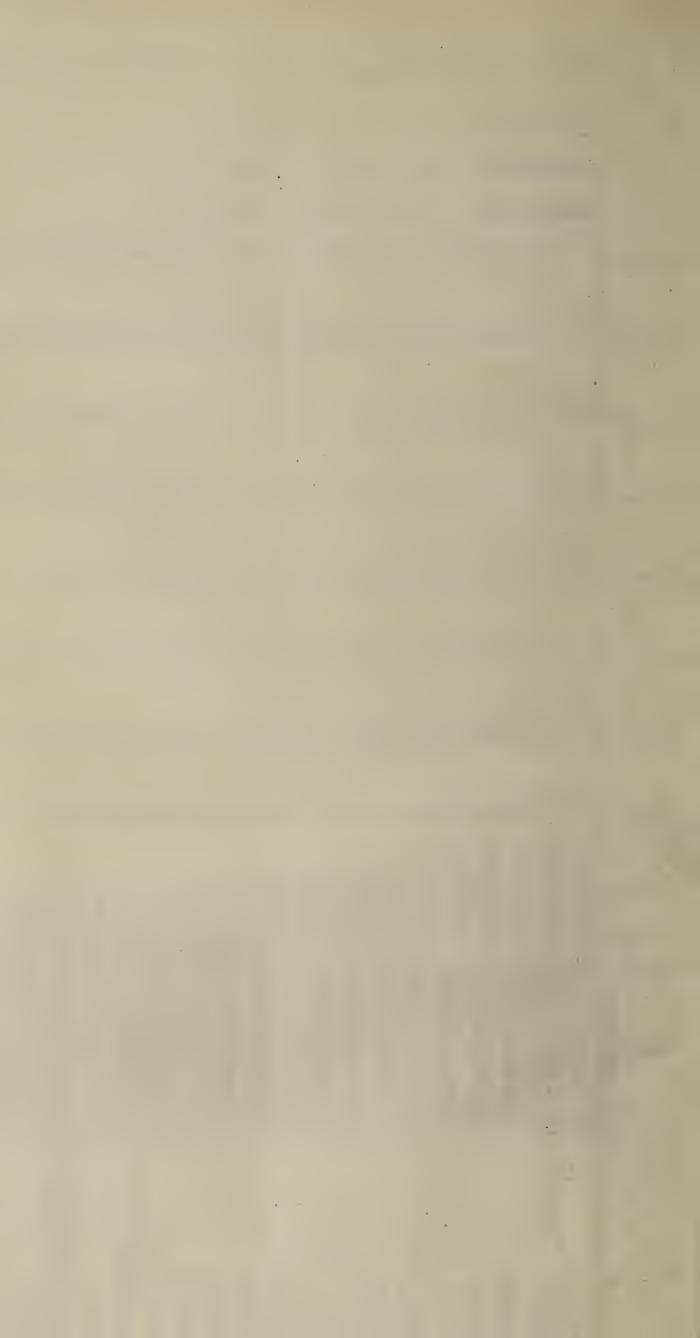


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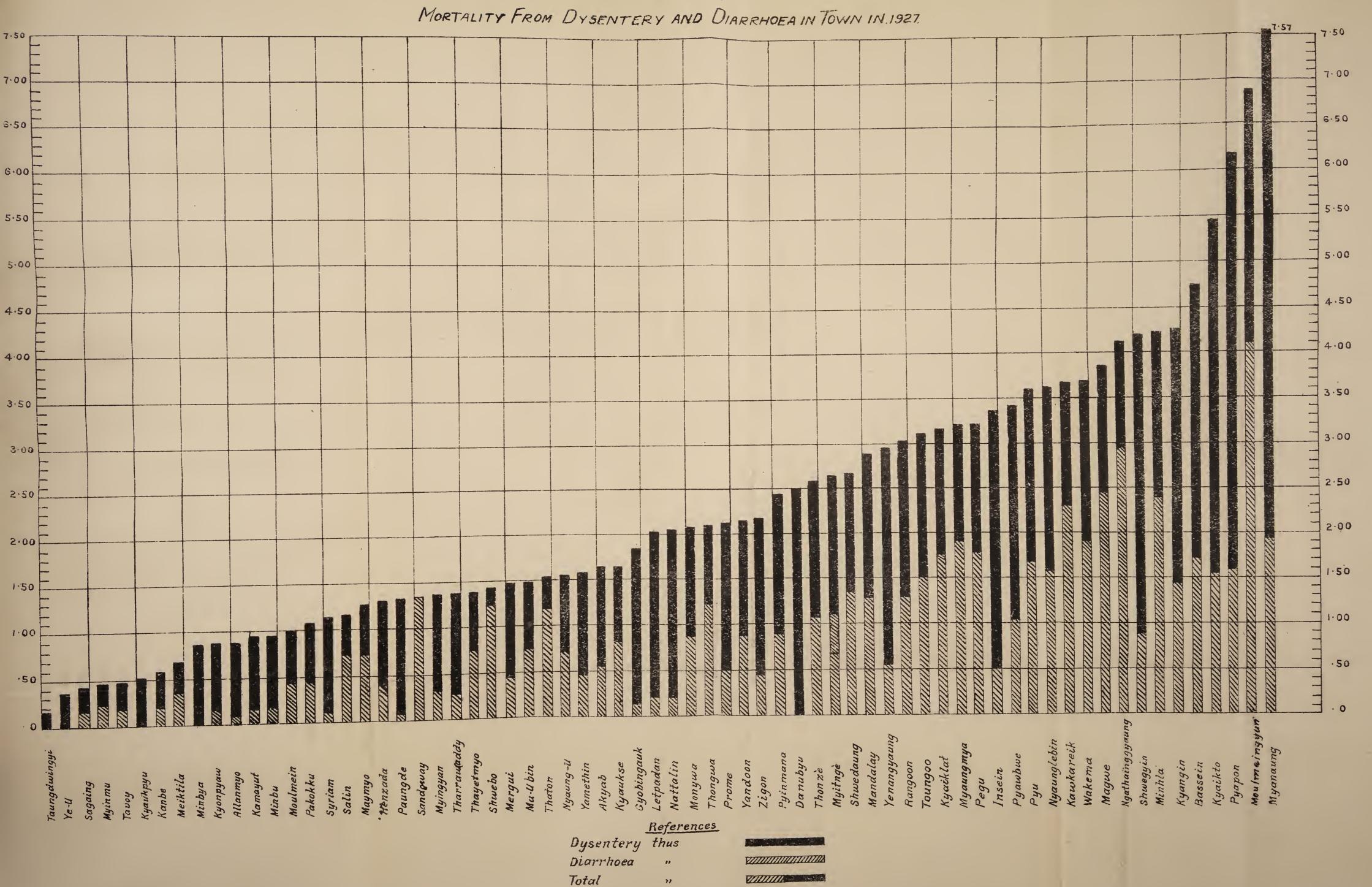
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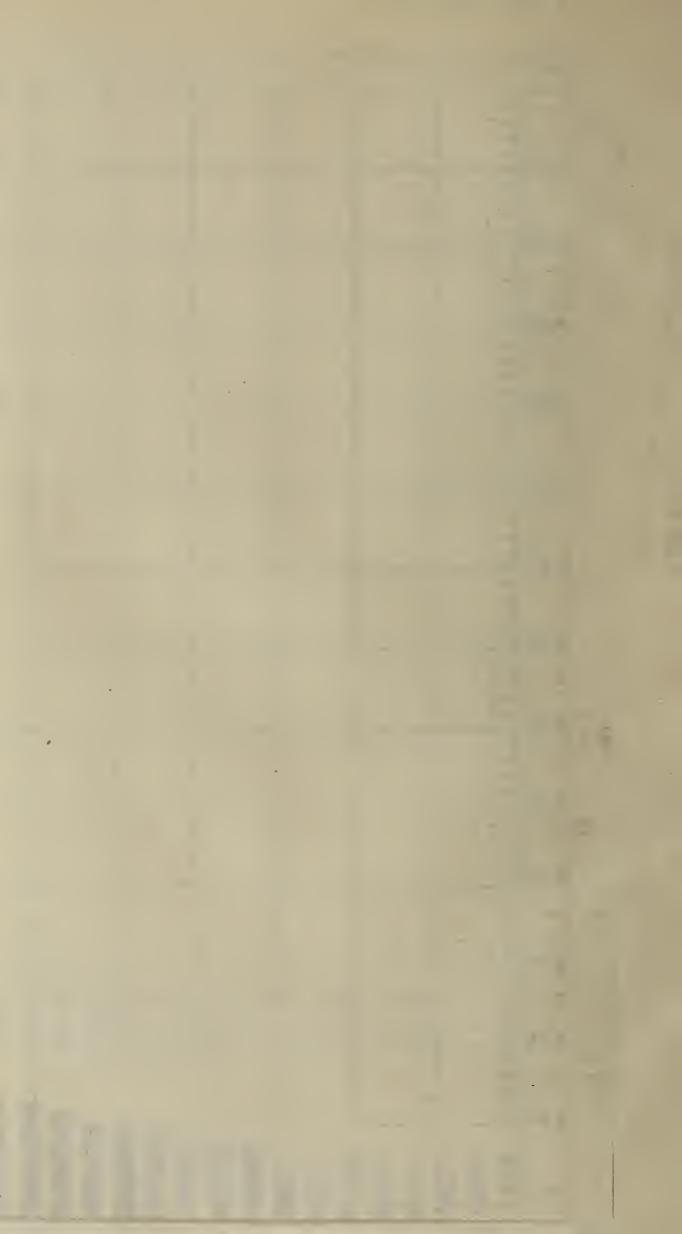
INFANT DEATHS. TOTAL DEATHS.



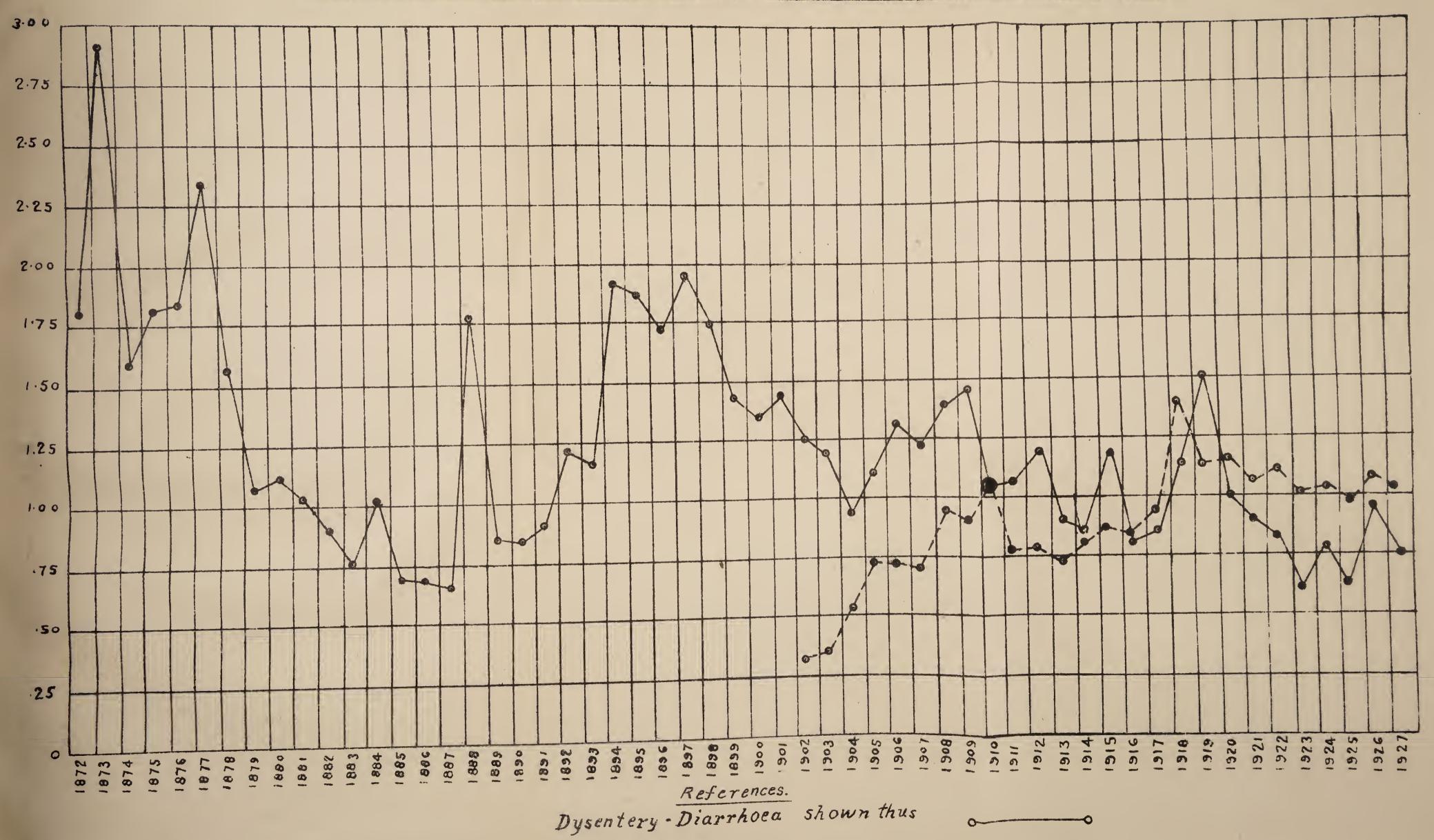


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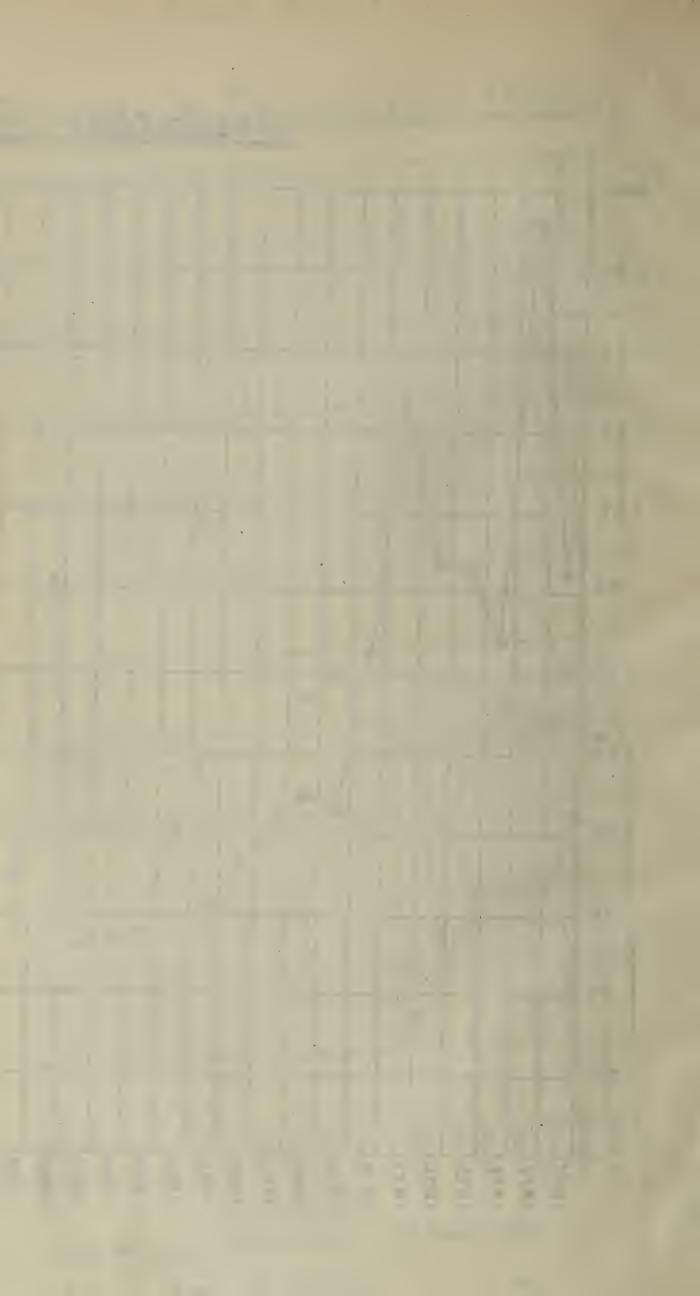




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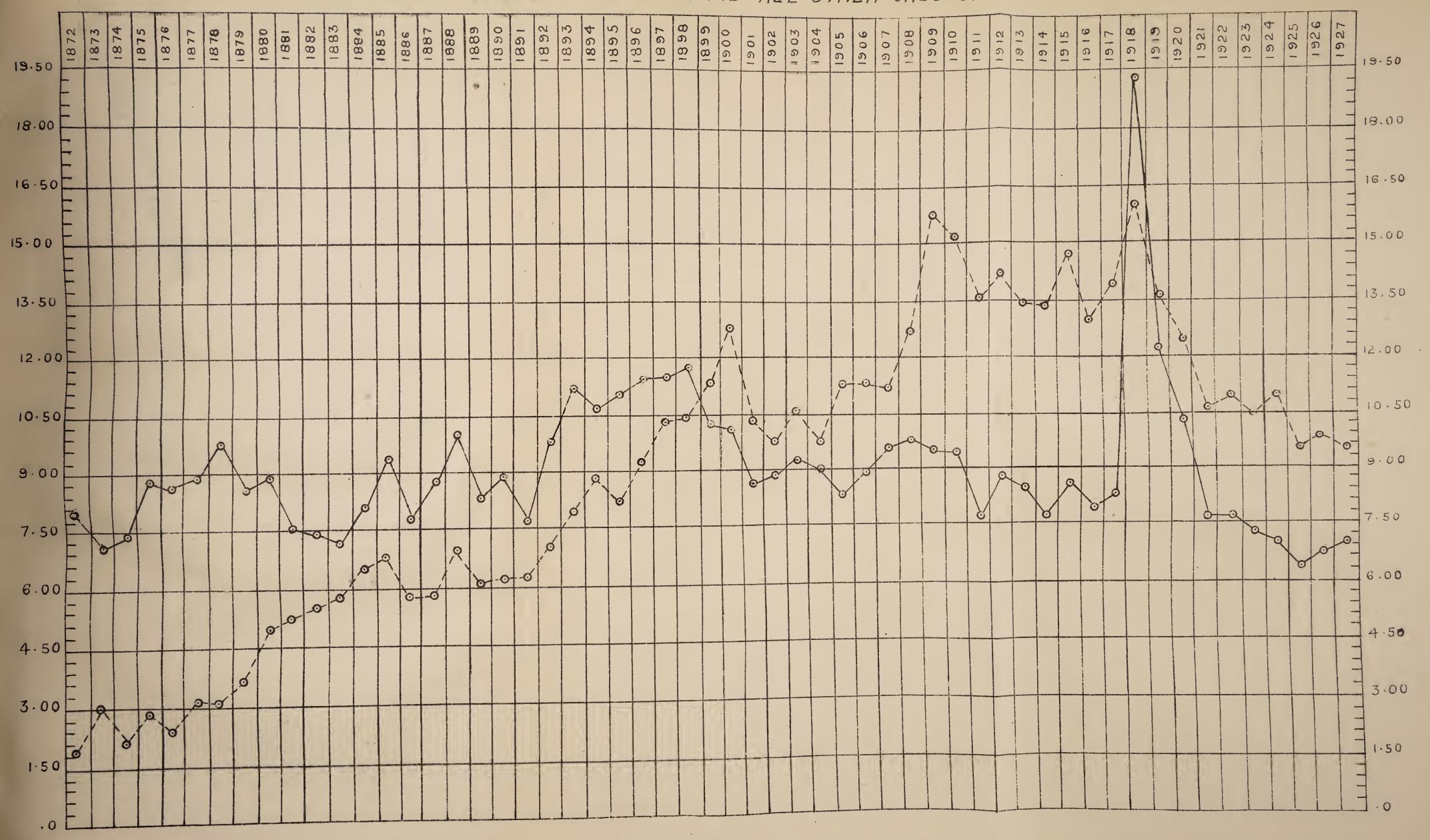


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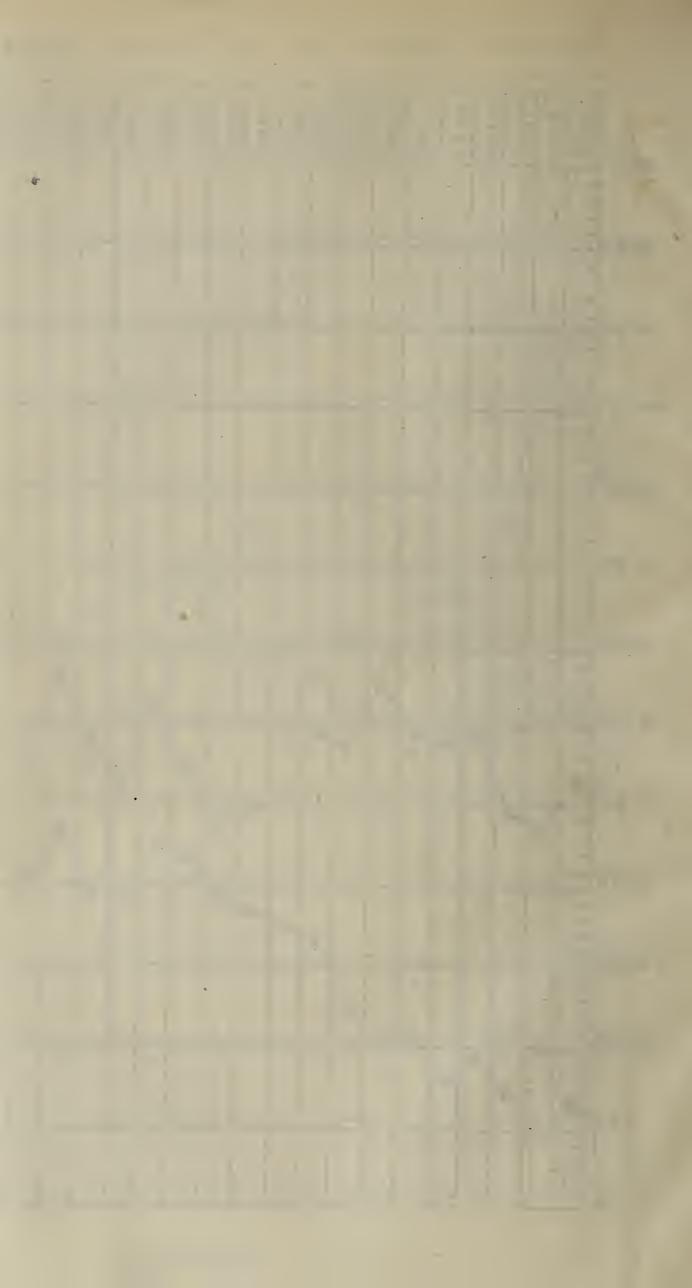


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DEATHS FROM FEVER AND ALL OTHER CAUSES.

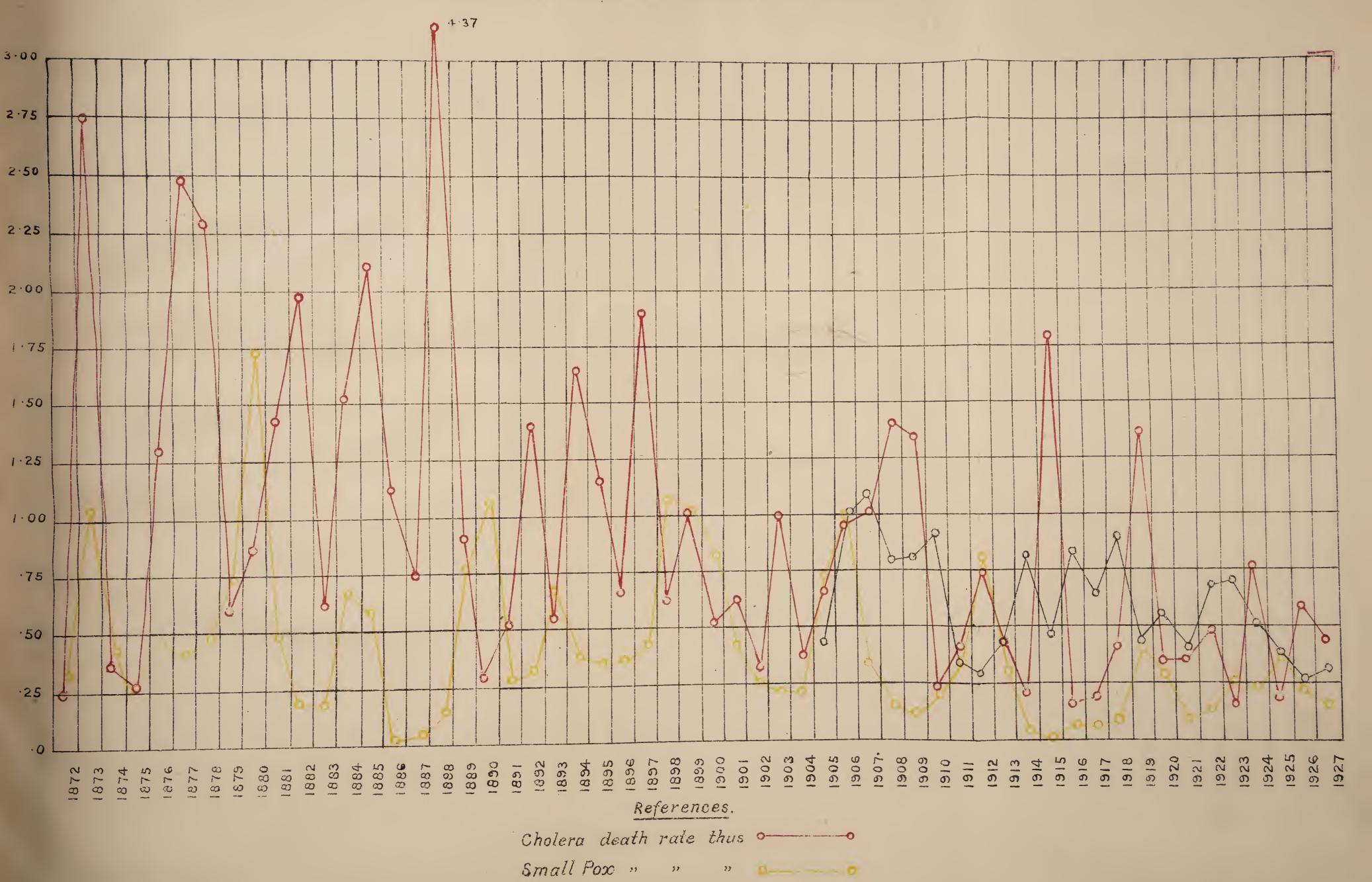


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DEATHS FROM NOTIFIABLE DISEASES IN BURMA.

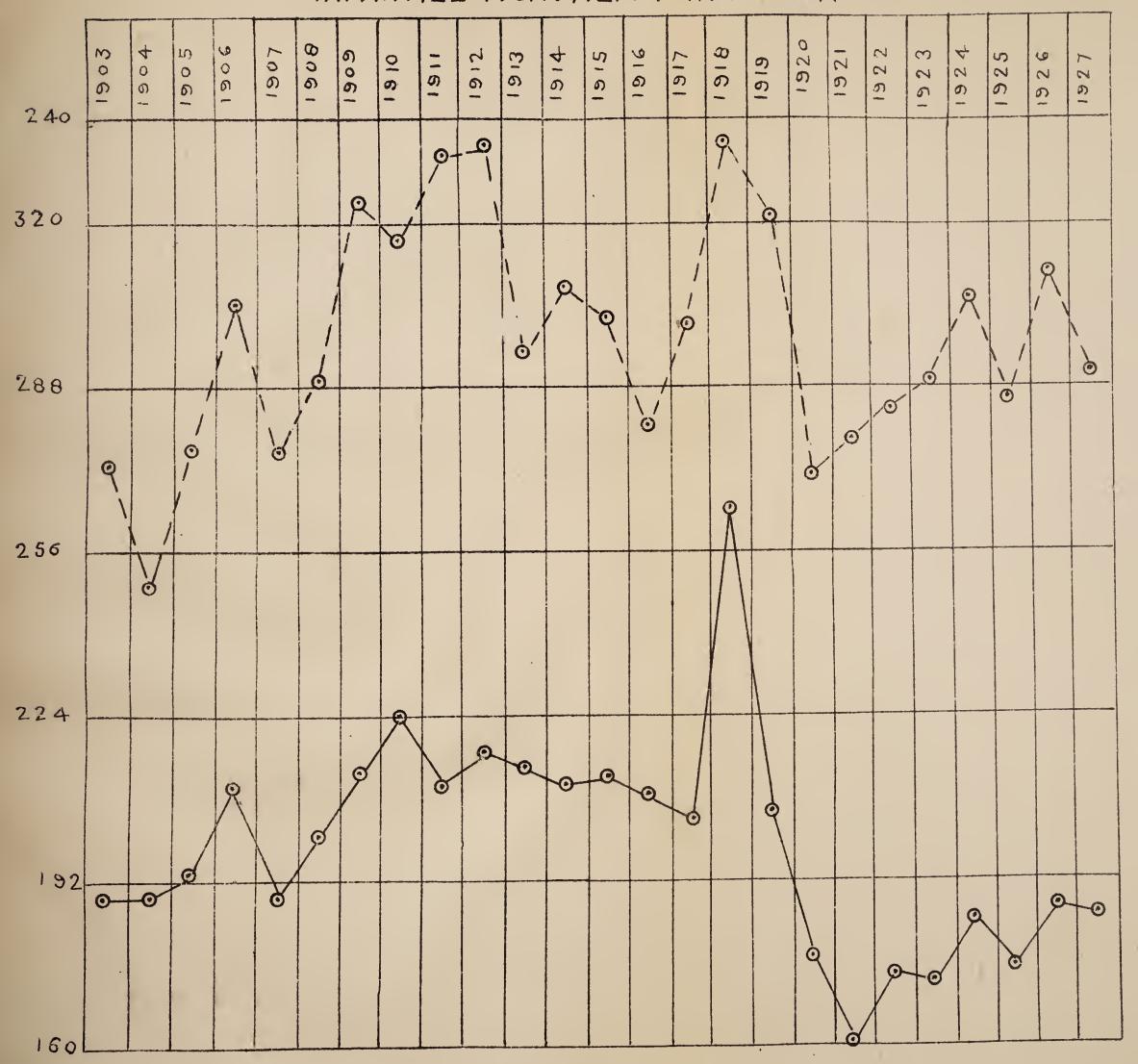


Plague " "



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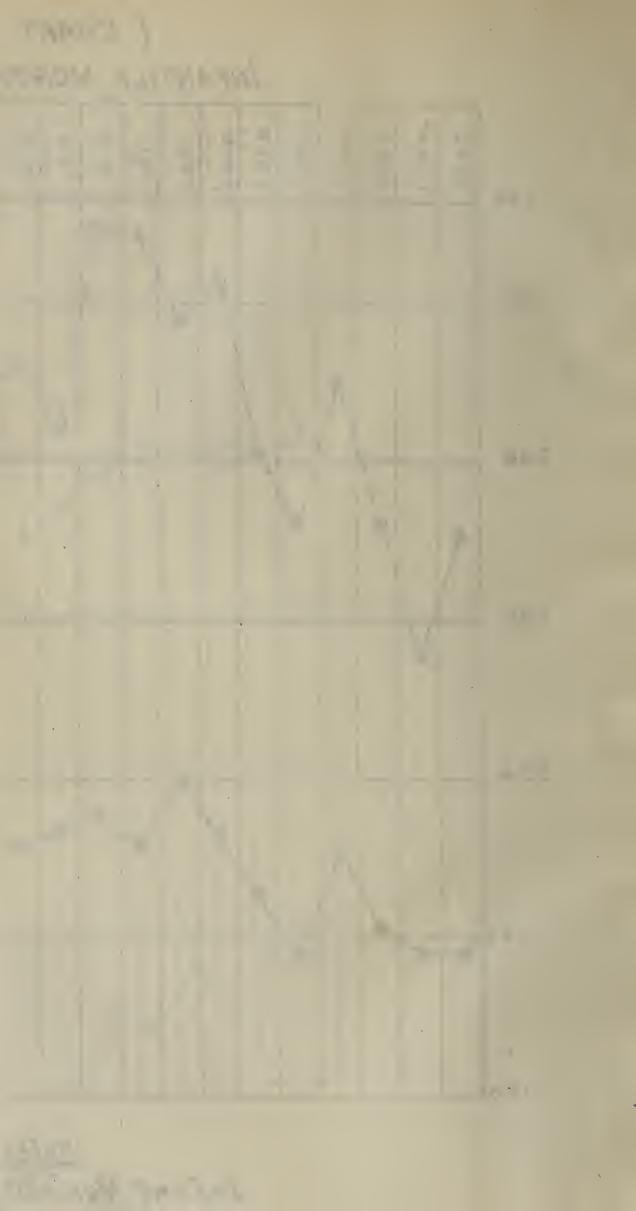
INFANTILE MORTALITY IN BURMA



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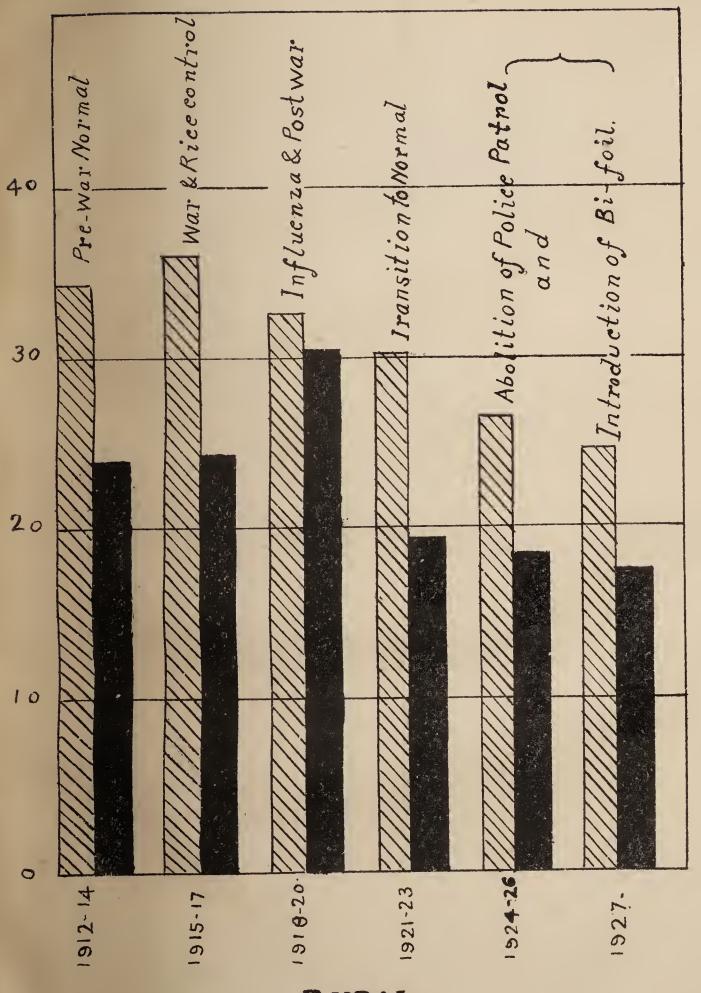
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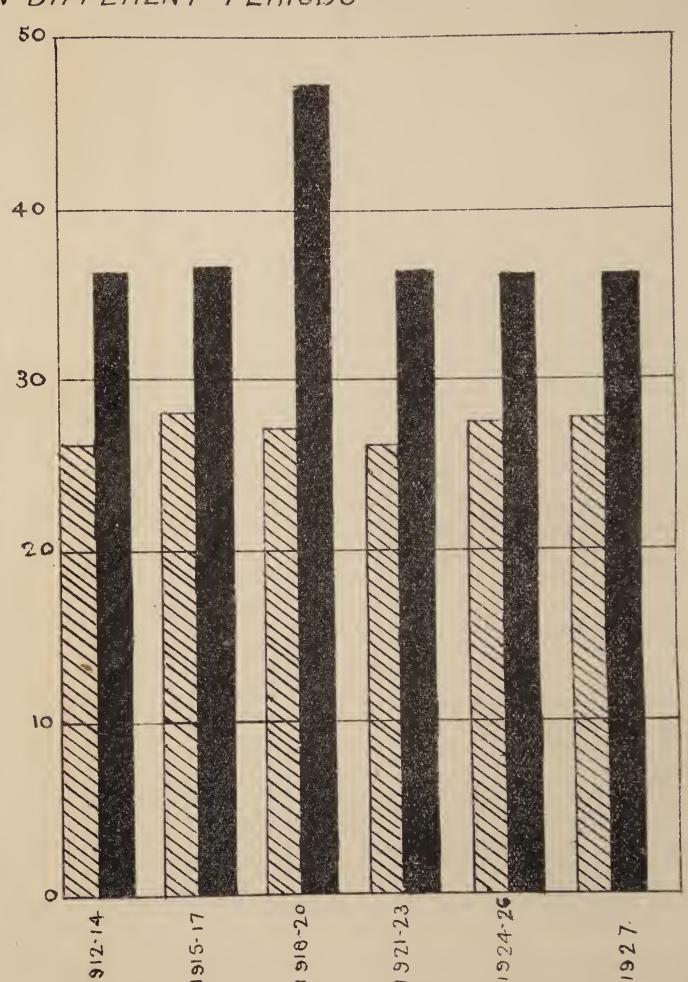


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BIRTH AND DEATH RATES IN DIFFERENT PERIODS

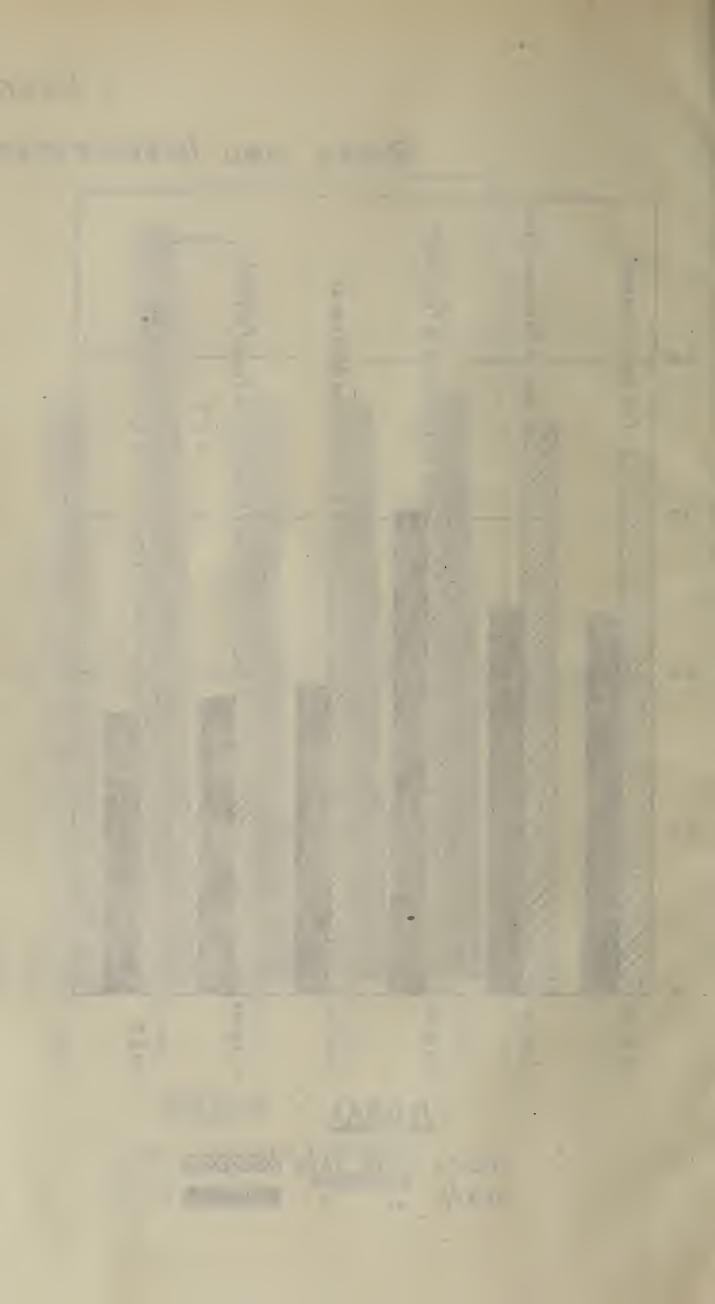


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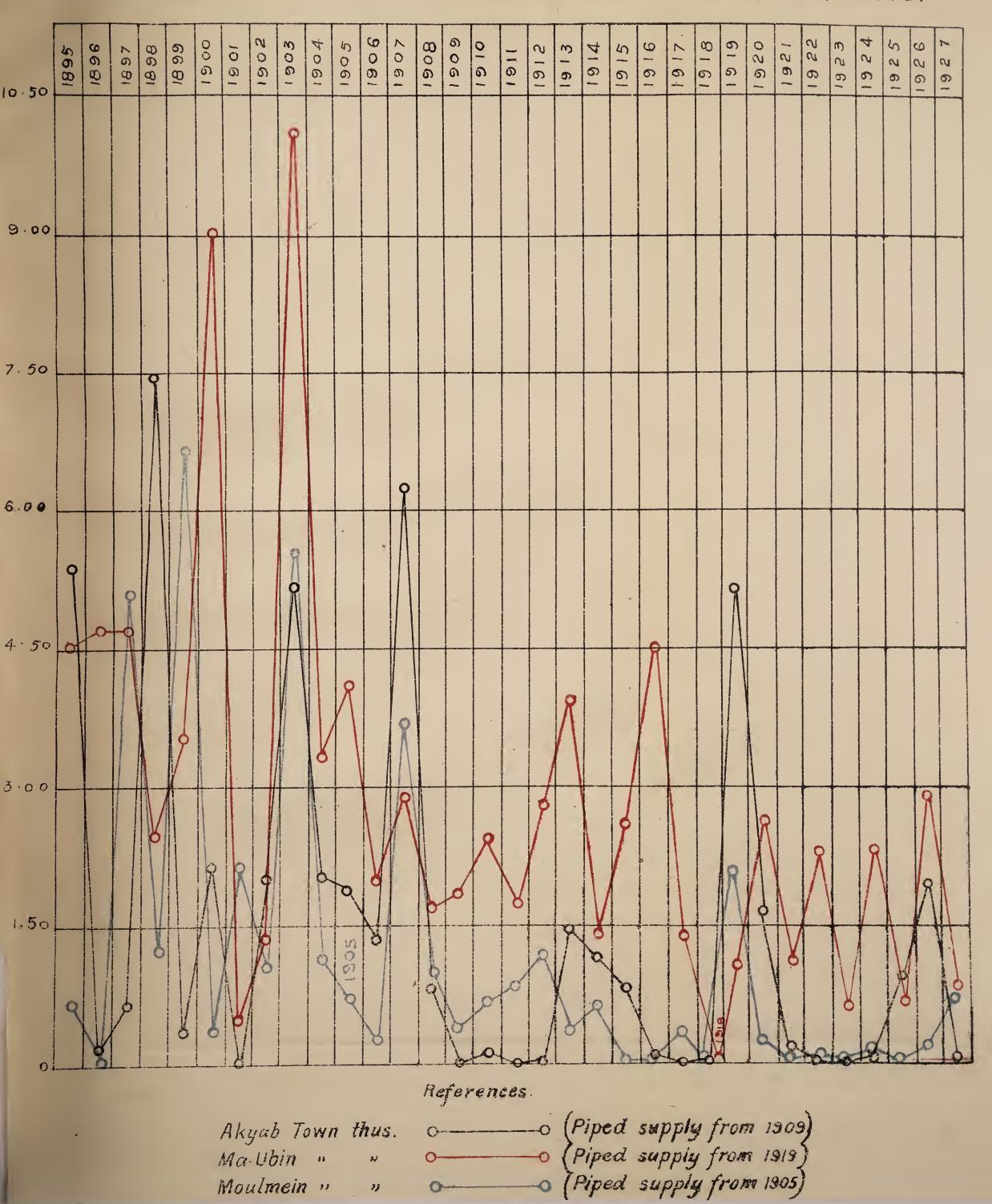
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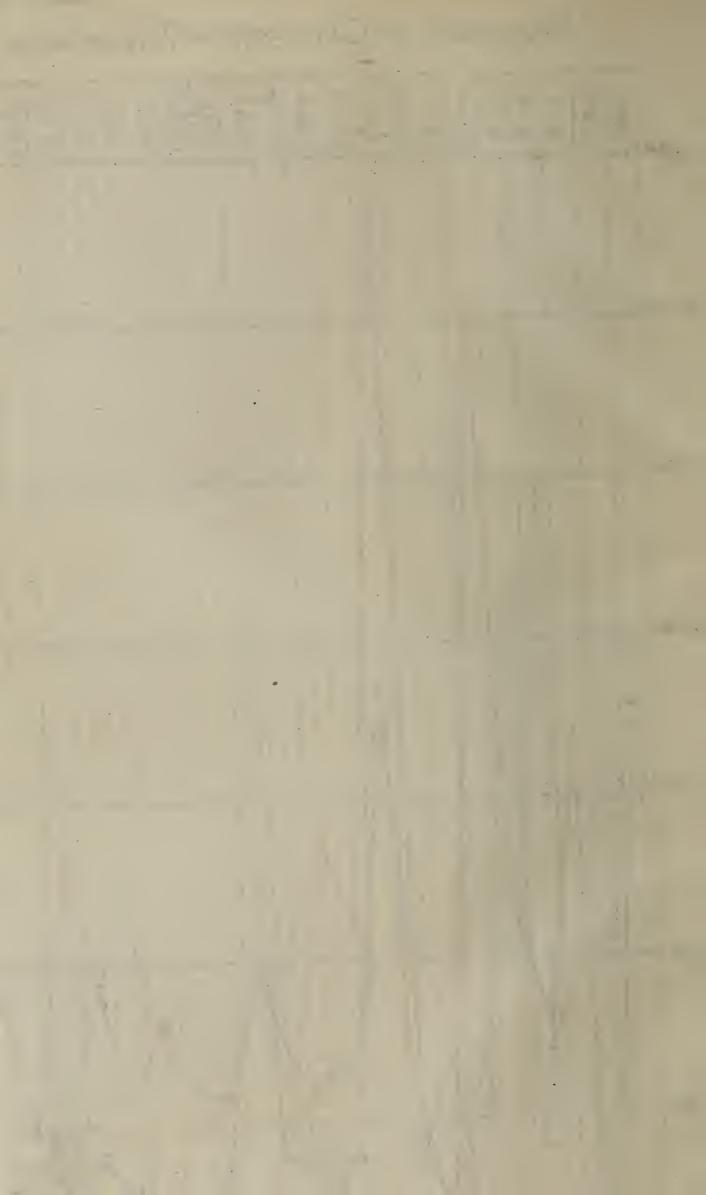


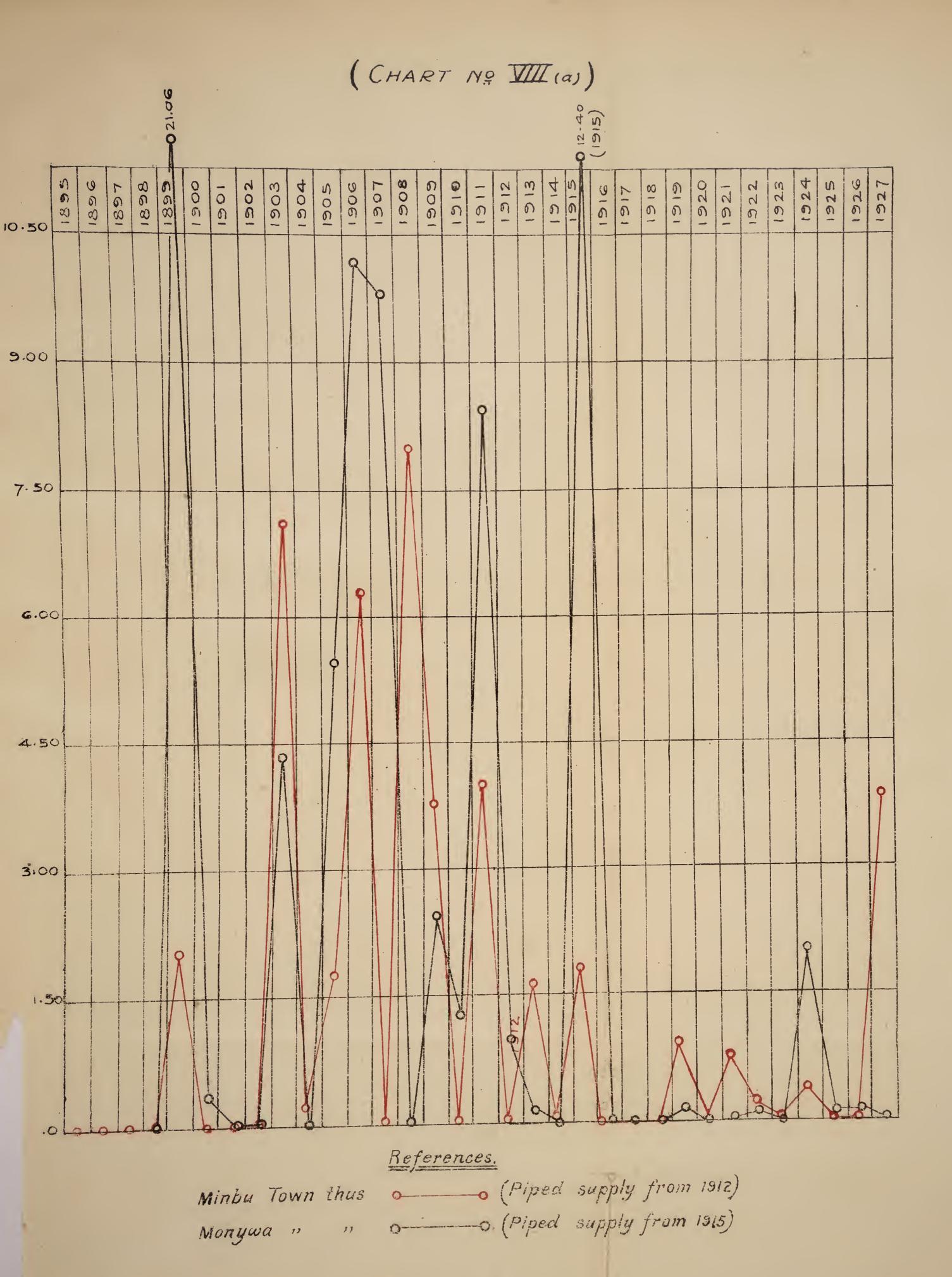
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INCIDENCE OF CHOLERA IN TOWNS WITH A PROTECTED WATER SUPPLY



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